

Board Binder Open Session

February 12, 2024

Agenda



MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AS AUTHORIZED BY CHAPTER 504 OF THE TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

In accordance with Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended, notice is hereby given to the public that the Board of Directors of the Midland Development Corporation will meet in special session, open to the public, in the Midland Chamber of Commerce board room, 303 West Wall Street, Suite 200, Midland, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on February 12, 2024. A quorum of the Board of Directors of the Midland Development Corporation intends to be physically present at the aforementioned location.

Videoconference Information

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At such meeting, the Board of Directors may discuss, consider, and take action on any of the following items:

- 1. Call meeting to order.
- 2. Motion approving the minutes of the January 8, 2024, meeting of the Midland Development Corporation.
- 3. Motion approving the minutes of the January 22, 2024, meeting of the Midland Development Corporation.
- 4. Presentation from YMCA Midland on their northwest expansion project.
- 5. Presentation from InterFlight Global on aerospace development in Midland.
- 6. Resolution authorizing the execution of a consultant services agreement with InterFlight Global Corporation in an amount not to exceed \$175,425.00 for services related to the procurement of new



tenants for facilities located at the Spaceport Business Park; and authorizing payment for said agreement.

- 7. Presentation on the January 2024 monthly expenses and economic development activity report from the Midland Development Corporation Executive Director and staff.
- 8. Pursuant to Texas Government Code §551.101, the Board of Directors will hold an Executive Session, which is closed to the public to discuss the following matters as permitted under the following Texas Government Code Sections:
 - a. Section 551.087 Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations
 - i. Discuss business prospects that the Midland Development Corporation seeks to have, locate, stay, or expand in or near the City of Midland, Texas, and discuss possible incentives, and discuss contract compliance on the part of businesses.

Posted this 8 th day of February 2024.	
	Marcia Bentley German
	City Governance Officer/City Secretary

January 8th Minutes

MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

MINUTES

January 08, 2024

The Board of Directors of the Midland Development Corporation convened in regular session at the Midland Chamber of Commerce board room, 303 West Wall Street, Suite 200, Midland, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on January 08, 2024.

Board Members present: Chairman Chase Gardaphe, Director Berry Simpson,

Director Lourcey Sams, Director Jill Pennington, Director, Director Brad Bullock, Director Zachary Deck,

and Director Elvie Brown

Board Members absent: None

Staff Members present: Assistant City Attorney Nicholas Toulet-Crump, Director

of Airports Justine Ruff, Director Finance Christy Weakland, Chief of Staff Taylor Novak, and Chief Deputy

City Secretary Vanessa Magallanes

Council Member(s) present: None

MDC Staff Members present: Executive Director Sara Harris, Marketing &

Administrative Coordinator Gabrielle Franks, and Business Retention & Expansion Coordinator Sammi

Steel

1. Call meeting to order.

Chairman Gardaphe called the meeting to order at 10:07 am

2. Motion electing officers to serve through December 2024.

Director Simpson moved to elect P. Lourcey Sams as Chairman, Chase Gardaphe as First Vice-Chair, Barry Simpson as Second Vice-Chair, and Jill Pennington as Secretary of the board, seconded by Director Deck. The motion carried by the following vote: AYE: Gardaphe, Pennington, Gardaphe, Sams, Bullock, and Brown. NAY: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

3. Motion approving the minutes of the December 04, 2023, meeting of the Midland Development Corporation.

Director Simpson moved to approve minutes of the December 04, 2023, meeting of the Midland Development Corporation, seconded by Director Sams. The motion carried by the following vote: AYE: Gardaphe, Pennington, Deck, Bullock, and Brown. NAY: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

4. Resolution authorizing payment in the amount of \$200,000.00 to the University of Texas of the Permian Basin pursuant to that certain Incubator and Makerspace Grant Agreement between the Midland Development Corporation and the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

Director Bullock moved to approve Resolution ED-453 authorizing payment in the amount of \$200,000.00 to the University of Texas of the Permian Basin pursuant to that certain Incubator and Makerspace Grant Agreement between the Midland Development Corporation and the University of Texas of the Permian Basin., seconded by Director Simpson. The motion carried by the following vote: AYE: Gardaphe, Sams, Deck, Brown and Pennington. NAY: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

5. Presentation on the December 2023 monthly expenses and economic development activity report from the Midland Development Corporation Executive Director and staff.

Sara Harris gave an overview of the month's expenses, and economic development activity. Gabrielle Franks updated the board with the social media stats. Sammi Steele gave an overview of the business retention and expansion program in December.

Board recessed into executive session at 10:30 a.m.

- 6. Pursuant to Texas Government Code §551.101, the Board of Directors will hold an Executive Session, which is closed to the public to discuss the following matters as permitted under the following Texas Government Code Sections:
 - a. Section 551.072 Deliberation Regarding Real Property
 - Discuss the sale, exchange, lease or value of real property described as an approximate 374-acre tract of land out of Section 33, Block 40, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas.
 - b. <u>Section 551.087 Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations</u>
 - i. Discuss business prospects that the Midland Development Corporation seeks to have, locate, stay, or expand in or near the City of Midland, Texas, and discuss possible incentives, and discuss contract compliance on the part of businesses.

Board reconvened into open session at 10:34 a.m.

All the business at hand having been completed, Chairman Gardaphe adjourned the meeting at 10:35 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,				
Vanessa Magallanes, Chief Deputy City Secretary				
PASSED AND APPROVED the 12 th Day of February 2024.				
Jill Pennington, Secretary				

January 22nd Minutes

MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

MINUTES

January 22, 2024

The Board of Directors of the Midland Development Corporation convened in special session at the Midland Chamber of Commerce board room, 303 West Wall Street, Suite 200, Midland, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on January 22, 2024.

Board Members present: Chairman Chase Gardaphe, Director Berry Simpson,

Director Lourcey Sams, Director Jill Pennington, Director, Director Brad Bullock, Director Zachary Deck,

and Director Elvie Brown

Board Members absent: None

Staff Members present: Assistant City Attorney Nicholas Toulet-Crump, Director

of Airports Justine Ruff, Director Finance Christy Weakland, Chief of Staff Taylor Novak, Director of Utilities Carl Craigo, and Chief Deputy City Secretary

Vanessa Magallanes

Council Member(s) present: None

MDC Staff Members present: Executive Director Sara Harris, Marketing &

Administrative Coordinator Gabrielle Franks, and Business Retention & Expansion Coordinator Sammi

Steel

1. Call meeting to order.

Chairman Sams called the meeting to order at 10:00 am

2. Resolution approving the execution of a master development agreement between the Midland Development Corporation, the City of Midland, and Midland Downtown Renaissance, LP, regarding the development of certain real property including Lots 1A, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block 35, Original Town Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas.

Director Gardaphe moved to approve Resolution ED-454 approving the execution of a master development agreement between the Midland Development Corporation, the City of Midland, and Midland Downtown Renaissance, LP, regarding the development of certain real property including Lots 1A, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block 35, Original Town Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas., seconded by Director Simpson. The motion carried by the following vote: AYE: Deck, Sams, Pennington, and Bullock. NAY: Brown, ABSTAIN: None, ABSENT: None.

3. Resolution approving a memorandum of understanding with The MITRE Corporation; said memorandum of understanding to provide for the establishment of a framework for the Midland Development Corporation and The MITRE Corporation to work

collaboratively on a broad range of strategies, initiatives, and activities in the furtherance of commercial space and high-speed flight operations in the Permian Basin.

Director Pennington moved to approve Resolution ED-455 approving a memorandum of understanding with The MITRE Corporation; said memorandum of understanding to provide for the establishment of a framework for the Midland Development Corporation and The MITRE Corporation to work collaboratively on a broad range of strategies, initiatives, and activities in the furtherance of commercial space and high-speed flight operations in the Permian Basin., seconded by Director Simpson. The motion carried by the following vote: AYE: Gardaphe, Sams, Deck, Bullock, and Brown. NAY: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

Il the business at hand having been completed, Chairman Gardaphe adjourned the leeting at 10:45 a.m.	
espectfully submitted,	
anessa Magallanes, Chief Deputy City Secretary PASSED AND APPROVED the 12 th Day of February 2024.	
Jill Pennington, Secretary	

YMCA Presentation



MIDLAND YMCA MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

VOLUNTEERS & STAFF

- 145 employees
- Over 290 program & service volunteers youth sports, community service opportunities
- 18 Policy Volunteers



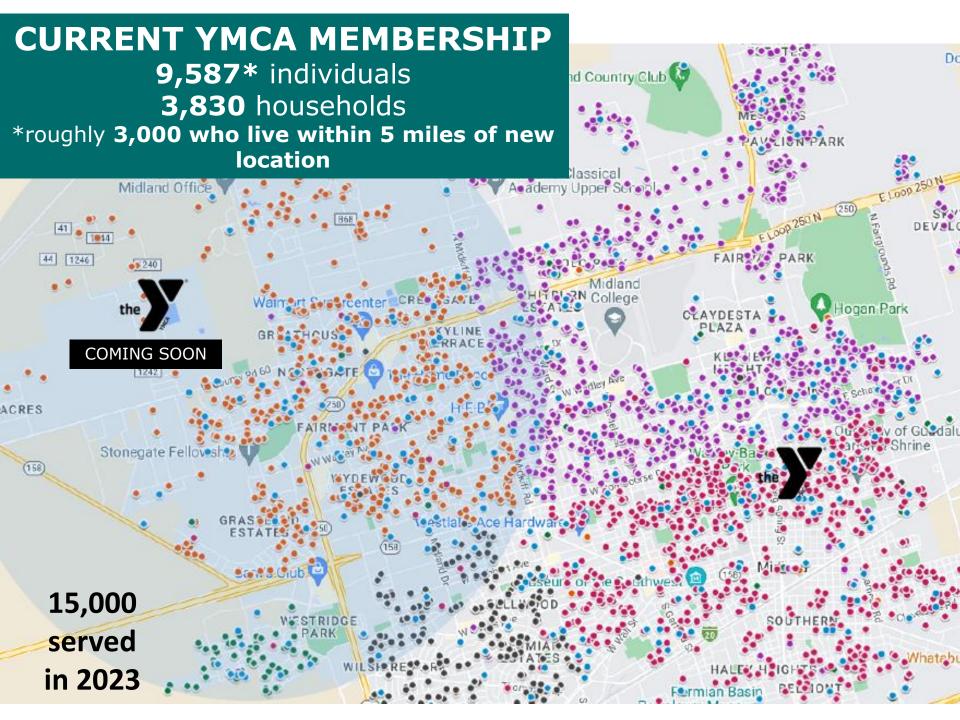












YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS CHILDREN'S LEARNING CENTER

- Largest infant provider in Midland
- 122 children enrolled (352 waitlist)
- 24 children graduated the program in May with the tools & skills needed for Kindergarten
- Texas School Readiness program



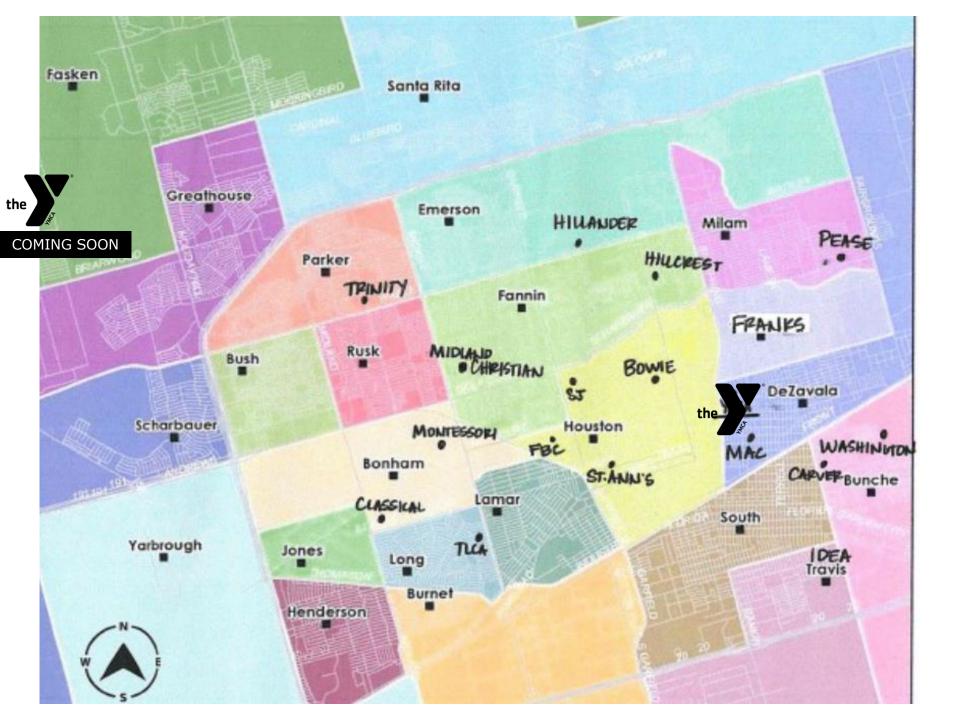


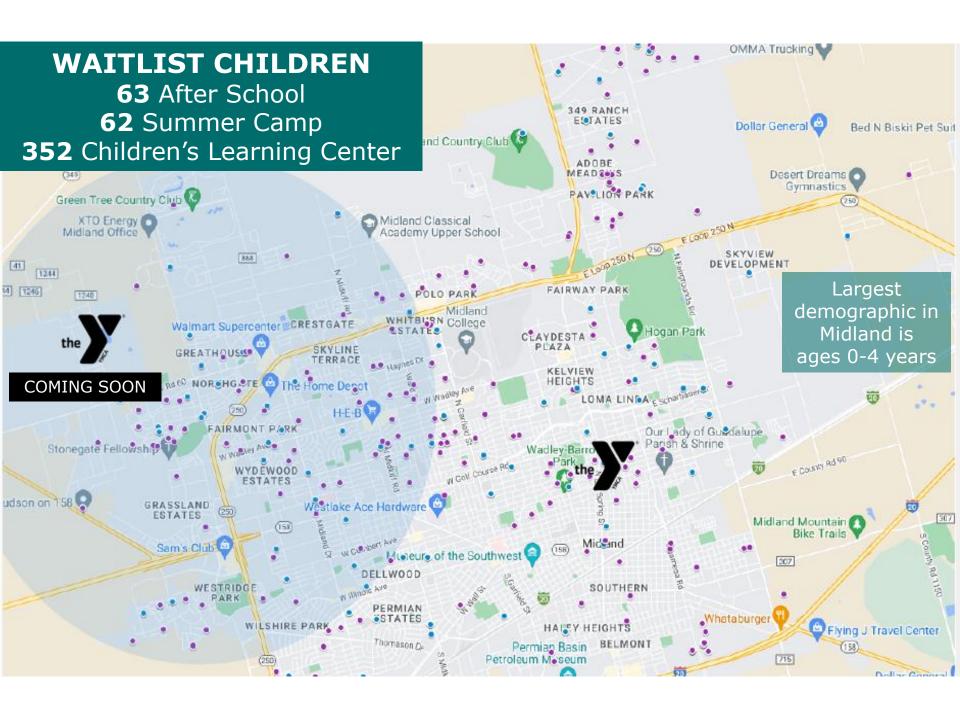


YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS SCHOOL AGE CHILDCARE

- Summer Camp had a record **545** kids enrolled (62 waitlist)
- After School has 415 enrolled (63 waitlist)
 - 77 of the enrolled attend school within 5 miles of new location
 - 16 on waitlist live within 5 miles







YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS AQUATICS

- Taught 968 kids to swim this year
- Trained 100 people lifesaving skills such as CPR, lifeguard, first aid, etc.







YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

YOUTH SPORTS

Serves over **2,000** children each year:

- Volleyball 376
- Basketball 778
- Soccer 465
- T-Ball 345
- Flag Football 286
- Cheer 105
- 10 Sport Specific Camps 342



Winter Basketball: Record number 600+ enrolled

YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS ADULT SPORTS & RECREATION

- Adult sports leagues
 - Basketball, volleyball, kickball
- Recreation including pick-up basketball, racquetball, and handball
- Corporate Cup 11
 Companies competed totaling over 1,000 participants



YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS ACTIVE OLDER ADULTS

































YMCA PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS COMMUNITY OUTREACH



SCOMMUNITY



\$387,942

IN PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

408

FAMILIES, CHILDREN, SENIORS, & ADULTS RECEIVED ASSISTANCE



\$156,137

PROVIDED AFTER SCHOOL AND SUMMER CHILDCARE TO WORKING PARENTS

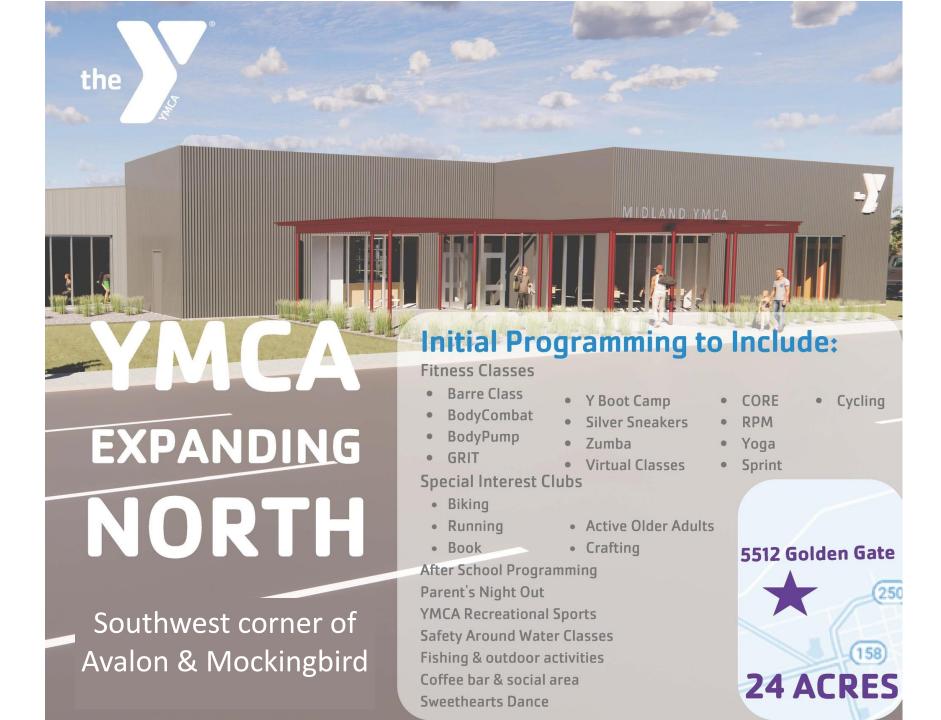
\$3,027 HELPED CHILDREN

HELPED CHILDREN
LEARN TO SWIM OR
PLAY A SPORT



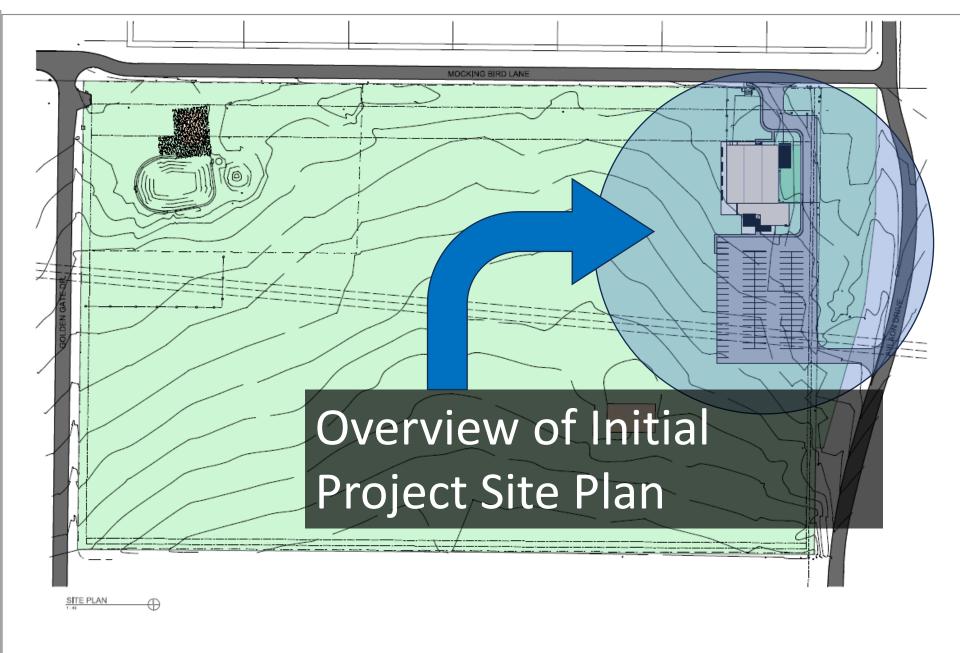
\$135,455
ALLOWED FAMILIES &
ADULTS TO CONTINUE
THEIR MEMBERSHIP

\$93,323
PROVIDED INFANT TO PRESCHOOL CARE



ONSITE CONSTRUCTION	PROJECTED COST		
Renovation & New Construction (Pg. 1, 3-6)	\$4,964,156		
Overhead and Labor (Page 1)	\$283,711		
Furnishings & Equipment	\$450,000		
Architectural Design & Engineering	\$500,600		
Project Contingency (Page 1)	\$350,000		
TOTAL ONSITE CONSTRUCTION COST	\$6,548,467		

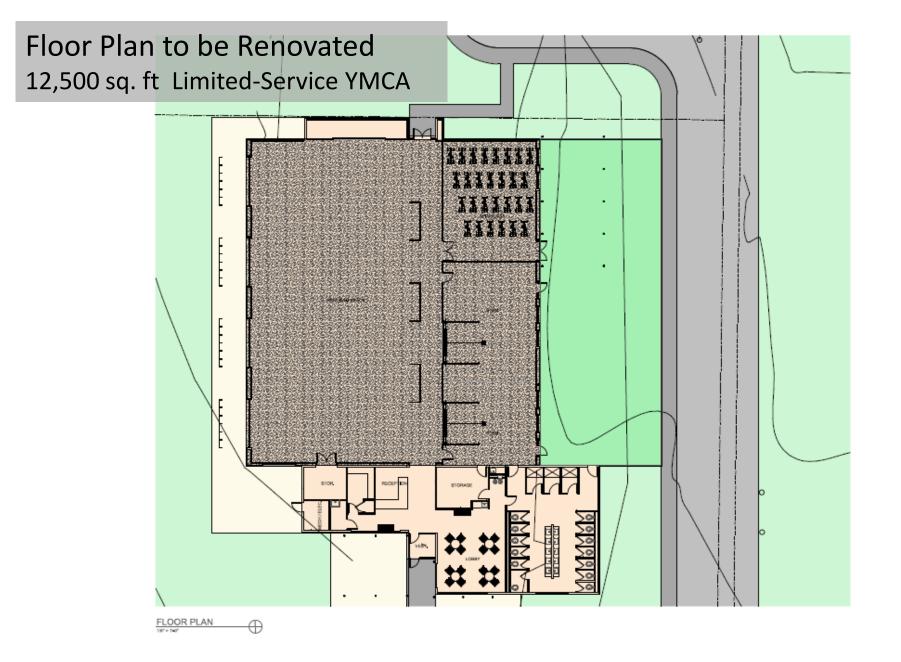
REQUIRED INFRASTRUCTURE	PROJECTED COST	
Offsite Sewer Line – Avalon (Pg. 2)	\$710,066	
Plat Road Infrastructure (Pg. 7-9)	\$941,976	
TOTAL REQUIRED INFRASTRUCTURE COST	\$1,652,042	
TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$8,200,509	











MIDLAND YMCA - NORTH BRANCH







YMCA Hours

Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 8:00 pm 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Saturday

Sunday Closed

Membership Rates

Type of Member	ship	Joining	Fee	Mo	nthly Fee
Single		\$50			\$56
Family**		\$85			\$85
Senior (65+)		\$25			\$42
Senior Couple (6	55+)	\$45			\$66
College*		\$25			\$46
Older Youth (13-	17)	\$25			\$27

*Individuals 23 years of age and younger enrolled fulltime (12 hours or more) in an accredited college.

**You, your spouse, and your legal dependents up to 18 years old, or 20 years old if they are enrolled in college full-time.

Child Watch

Qualified staff will provide care and activities for children while parents participate in other Y activities. Parents/ guardians must remain in the building at all times while their child(ren) is in the Child Watch area.

Ages 6 weeks to 12 years

COST is free with a Family membership.

A fee of \$3/child for quests.

Monday - Saturday 8:00 am - 11:00 am Monday - Friday 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

This is not a licensed program and guardians must remain in the building at all times while their child or children are in child watch. Not to exceed 2 hours per day per child.

Tinty Tots Sports Camps (3–5 years old)

Tumbling

Monday - Friday 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Soccer

Monday - Friday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

NORTHWEST YMCA

Afterschool Programming

In our care, kids engage in physical, learning, and imaginative activities that encourage them to explore who they are and what they can achieve. Students who attend Fasken, Greathouse, and Scharbauer Elementary will be transported to the Northwest YMCA. Once children arrive they will participate in multiple enrichment classes and daily activities that will include a healthy snack, outside free-play as well as games for physical activity, and more. Not to exceed 2 hours per day per child.

Registration Fee:

Rates

YMCA Family Member Fees: \$227/mo Program Participants Fees: \$341/mo

* Fun Club is included in the cost of after-school child care.

Holiday Fun Club

Child care is provided at the Northwest YMCA for elementary students during most scheduled MISD closures such as Spring Break, Christmas Break, teacher in-service days, and other times school is closed and it is not a YMCA holiday. Activities include bible study, arts & crafts, games, gym time, outdoor time, and snacks. All children must bring a sack lunch daily.

Pre-registration is required.

Hours: 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Fees: \$40 per day

*Child care will be closed on days the YMCA closes early.

**This program will not exceed 2 days per week per child.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Sweethearts Dance Pickleball Tournamnet **Weekly Socials CPR Courses**

Safety Around Water Course Tiny Tots Fishing Tournaments 1K, 5K and 10K

Haloween Carnival

Family Nights

Parents Night Out

Parents-take this chance to do some shopping, have a date night, or give your children a fun night at the YMCA!

Activities include games, movies, arts & crafts, and much more.

- Dinner is included. Space is limited. See member service desk for more information.
- · Parents must provide formula, milk & baby food if needed.

Registration opens on the 1st of the month.

July 14 October 13 August 11 November 10 September 8 December 8

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Ages: 6 weeks - 12 years

Fees:

YMCA Family Members: \$15/per child Program Participant: \$30/per child

Pickleball

Recreational pickleball will be offered. A monthly schedule will be provided designating times and sates for play. All ages welcome

GROUP EX SCHEDULE

AREAS OF FOCUS

1: AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Capacity, ages, classroom, multipurpose space, playground, toilets & sinks

2: YMCA MEMBERSHIP

studios, equipment storage, child watch, parking, laundry

3: DEVELOP MASTER PLAN

for remaining 24 acres after completion of initial renovation project

2025 COMMUNITY IMPACT

HELPING WORKING FAMILIES

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

- Serve ages 5-12 years old by providing safe & quality program that allows parents to work to provide for families
- Eliminate After School Program waiting list
- Opens up to 100 After School spots at Downtown Y serving other areas of town
- Keep youth safe & on track to reach fullest potential

2025 COMMUNITY IMPACT

ENHANCE QUALITY OF LIFE

- Remove barriers associated with distance from downtown location
- Enhance physical health for all ages
- Improve social-emotional well-being for all ages
- Increase collaboration with community partners
- Opportunity for nontraditional programming



THANK YOU

InterFlight Global

THE MIDLAND

AIR AND SPACEPORT

Spaceport Business Park | Aerospace and Defense Complex | A Space "Tall" Asset for Midland

Q1 2024 UPDATE

2/12/2024

Oscar S. Garcia, MBA

Chairman & CEO, InterFlight Global Corporation





THE AEROSPACE & DEFENSE INDUSTRY



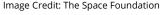




THE SPACE AND AERO-SPACE

ECONOMY 2023/4









CELEBRATING 5 YEARS

DIVERSIFYING AND GROWING THE MIDLAND ECONOMY 2018-2023

IFG has attracted EIGHT (8) New Companies to Midland: over 250 Aerospace and Defense Jobs and related hardware, facilities and equipment in Midland



New Companies Coming to Midland in 2024!













SEIZING THE SPACE ECONOMY AND AERO-SPACE-FLIGHT REVOLUTIONS

- ✓ The Global Space Economy will reach approx. \$1.5 + trillion p/year around 2030.
- ✓ The US Space Economy will reach approx. \$900 billion p/year around 2030.
- ✓ The State of Texas and the West/Southwest Texas Space Basin should get a share of approx. \$200 billion by 2030.
- ✓ The Texas Space Commission is endowed with \$350+ million-Midland deserves a large portion of it (\$50-100million).
- ✓ IFG supports the MDC in obtaining Federal, State and Private-Public investments in the local aviation, aerospace and defense economies.
- ✓ IFG supports the MDC as it identifies, attracts, retains and grows in midland new aerospace and defense companies.



Texas House passes legislation for new (\$350million) Texas Space Commission

Midland re-introduced the Midland Spaceport Development Board as a result of the new legislation.

SPACE COMMERCE

Texas To Spend Big on Space with New Legislature Funding for Space Commission.







SEIZING THE \$ 1.5 + TRILLION SPACE ECONOMY



- The Global Space Economy will reach approx.
 \$1.5 trillion per year around 2030
- The US Space Economy will reach approx.\$750 billion p/year around 2030
- 3. The Midland Air and Spaceport Business Park is at the center of the growing Midland Led
 West Texas Aero- Space-Business Cluster







SEIZING THE \$ 1.5 + TRILLION SPACE ECONOMY

- 4. The Spaceport-Airport unique combination is attracting to Midland the aerospace (aviation and space) and defense complexes
- 5. The MDC, and the re-established MSDC are capitalizing well on the aerospace and defense industries growth. Examples:
 - AST Space Mobile is proposing satellite constellations to the US DOD
 - Firehawk Aerospace is aligning Raytheon and Draper as key partners to come to Midland to support Firehawk and its new Vertical Launch Site
 - **Starfighters Space** is preparing an IPO and has chosen Midland for expansion- They need the Midland College AMT capabilities to maintain their fleet
 - Astroport, a NASA multiple contractor for Space Resources and Energy has chosen Midland for its analog-R&D and Test and Evaluation





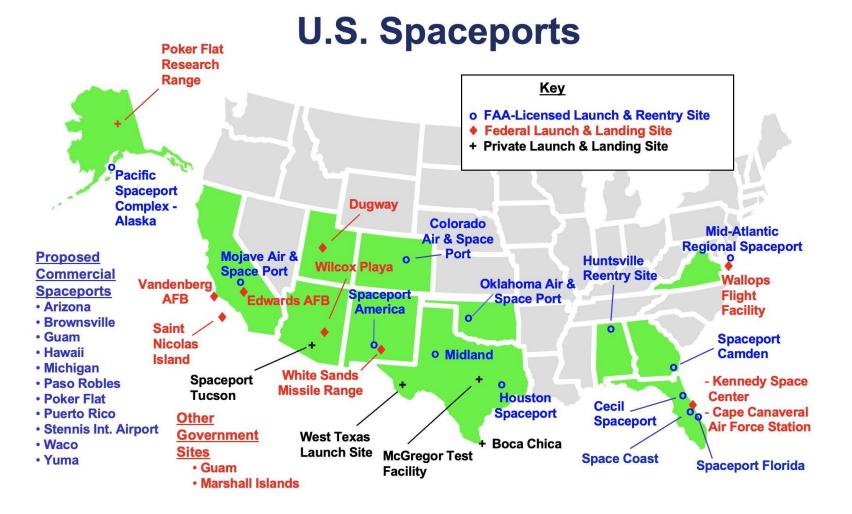
A PRIVILEGED LOCATION AT THE CENTER OF THE SPACE COASTS







THE USA SPACEPORT LANDSCAPE

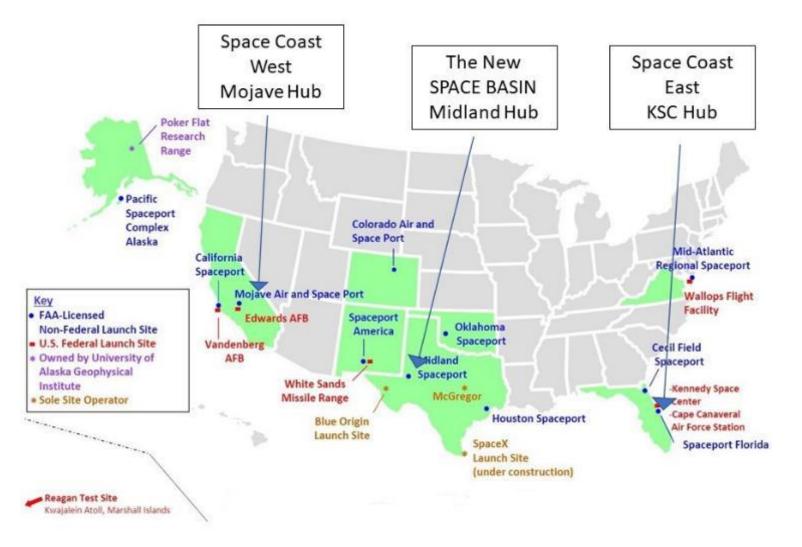






MIDLAND IS THE CENTER OF THE

"SPACE-COASTS"









THE "HUB" OF 9 SPACEPORTS

- ✓ PLUS 2 NEW PROPOSED SPACEPORTS
 - ✓ WACO, TX
 - ✓ SPACEPORT ARIZONA-YUMA

Midland is ready to HOST new aerospace & defense companies!











THE "HUB" OF

AMERICA'S BUSIEST LAUNCH CORRIDOR



















THE "HUB" OF AMERICA'S HIGH SPEED AND SPACEFLIGHT 27 Possible Spaceport To Spaceport Routes From Midland









THE "HUB" OF AMERICA'S HIGH SPEED AND SPACEFLIGHT

Spaceport Name	Midland	
Mojave Air and Spaceport	821	
Spaceport America	250	
Midland Air and Spaceport	0	
Colorado	483	
Oklahoma	253	
Houston	390	
Mid Atlantic Regional	1,362	
Cecil field	1,051	
Kenned Space Center	1,133	
Florida	1,129	
California	938	
Pacific Complex Alaska	2,558	
Guayaquil	2,403	
Andersen Airforce Base Guam	6,092	
West Texas Launch site	143	
McGregor Test Facility	255	
Brownsville	440	
Dugway	718	
Huntsville	792	
Abu Dhabi	7182	
Azores	3688	
Cornwall	4219	

27 POSSIBLE SPACEPORT TO SPACEPORT ROUTES

From Midland

From 250 to 7,670 miles

Suitable to all high speed vehicles



FAM TRIPS May-Oct 2023

A Space Industry Growing Ecosystem Highlights:

- Astroport and Space Force Association-Committed to an Office at the CEED
- LEOLABS Celebrated 8 Years with the MDC-Discussing Growth in Midland

















MARKETING BY THE

FAST FORWARD GROUP

HAS PROVEN SUCCESSFUL

01

Making Midland and the Spaceport a high-speed flight leader

02

Showing Commitment and Industry Knowledge

03

Participating in industry leading CSF, GSA and FAA COE CST

04

Participating in the Spaceport-to-Spaceport corridors industry leading WHITE PAPER in collaboration with UTPB



Link: <u>click for webex link</u>

reader and Moderator. Oscar S. Garcia, Chairman

genda (Phone Line Opens @10:45 EDT please chime in if you need audio-web-link assistance)

11:00 - NOTE OF THE PROPERTY O

11:10 - 11:15 CALL







11:15 – 12:15 HIGH-SPEED POINT TO POINT CORRIDORS-White Paper Draft

FastForward and Global Spaceport Alliance (GSA) Working Group Presentation

Presented by:

- Oscar S. Garcia, Chairman, FastForward Project
- > Dr. George Nield, Chairman, Global Spaceport Alliance

12:15 - 12:30 FF NEW BUSINESS, AGENDAS

Save the Date: February 18th & 19th, 2021. The High-Speed Aerospace Transportation (HSAT) Workshop & Event in Midland, TX







FAMILIARIZATION TRIPS AND WORKSHOPS

HAVE PROVEN SUCCESSFUL



































































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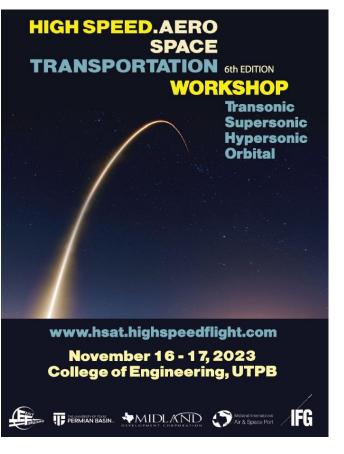














Bringing companies to Midland

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Interact with MDC, Midland College, UTPB and other tenants









A REMARKABLE AEROSPACE HERITAGE 1967-2024







A FIRST IN AVIATION-FOR MIDLAND

FAA's First Certified Composite Aircraft

Windecker AC-7 Eagle-1967







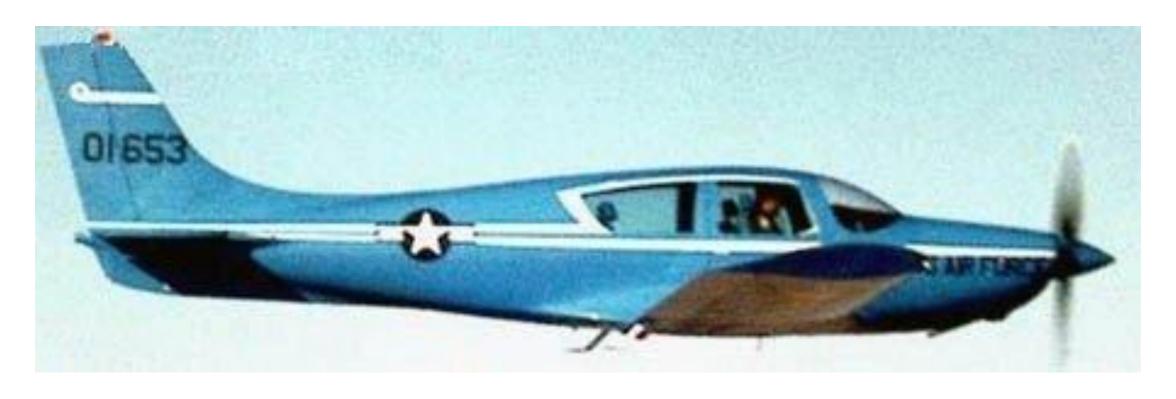


FIRST IN AVIATION-FOR MIDLAND

FAA's First Stealth Technology

Composite Aircraft

Windecker AC-7 Eagle-1967









AVIATION HISTORY

June 1st, 2022 Article

By Ian J. Twombly



https://www.aopa.org/news-and-media/all-news/2022/june/pilot/aviation-history#:~:text=The%20Windecker%20Eagle%20claims%20the,the%20market%20in%20late%201969.

Today We Find Composite Aircraft Everywhere, But That's A Recent Development.

"Surprisingly, it wasn't a military derivative or a commercial airliner that came first, but a dentist from Texas. The Windecker Eagle claims the distinction of the first certificated composite aircraft. Designed by Leo Windecker and his wife, Fairfax, the Eagle entered the market in late 1969."







FIRST IN SPACE FOR MIDLAND

FAA and World's First Licensed Spaceport at a Commercial Airport-2014

WASHINGTON — The Federal Aviation Administration issued a commercial spaceport license Sept. 17 to an airport in Midland, Texas, the first such license issued to a facility that also hosts commercial passenger airline flights.













IN 2019 A GREAT SPACE "FIRST" CLAIM TO FAME FOR MIDLAND











- AST & Science and Nano Avionics
 Space Mobile The World's First Direct to Cell Phone Satellite
 Constellation
- NOW More than ~ 300 Aerospace Engineering, Technician and Management Jobs
- Global footprint and MAGNET for more companies to move to the Spaceport Business Park and to Midland
- Entering the US DOD Defense realm in 2023-2024







2015 - 2023

LEO LABS FIRST ORBITAL RADAR



A Space Industry Growing Ecosystem



LEOLABS Celebrated 8 Years with the MDC-Enhanced antenna



Possibly building a second radar antenna



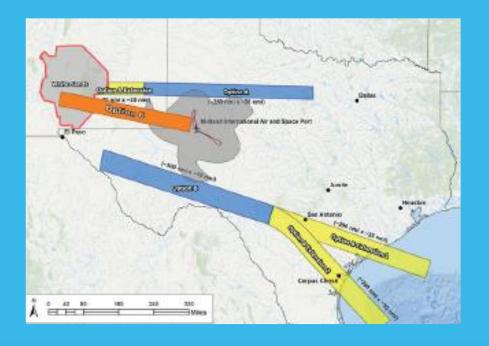






SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK AIRSPACE FLIGHT R&D, T&E HIGH-SPEED CORRIDORS

Completed Feasibility
Study, March 2022, by
Kimley Horn with FAAAVS/ATO/AST and DOD
Participation



Feasible-Optimal (9/10)
"Triplex" Airspace Corridor
Midland-Spaceport America













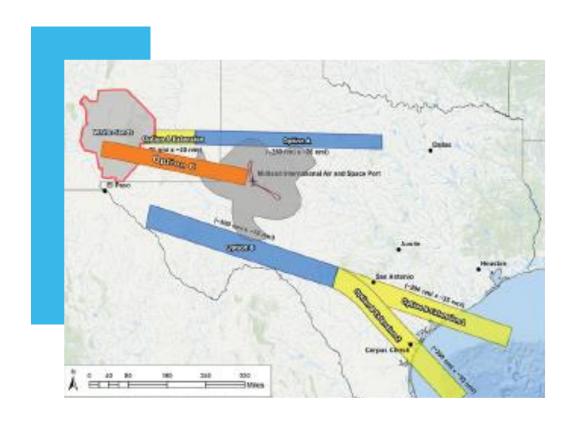








AIRSPACE CORRIDORS STRATEGIC AND FUNDING PARTNERSHIP



MITRE



MITRE Corporation MOU signed January 2024



MITRE is Americas leading airspace research center





















IN 2023 - A NEW VERTICAL

LAUNCH SITE AND TEST

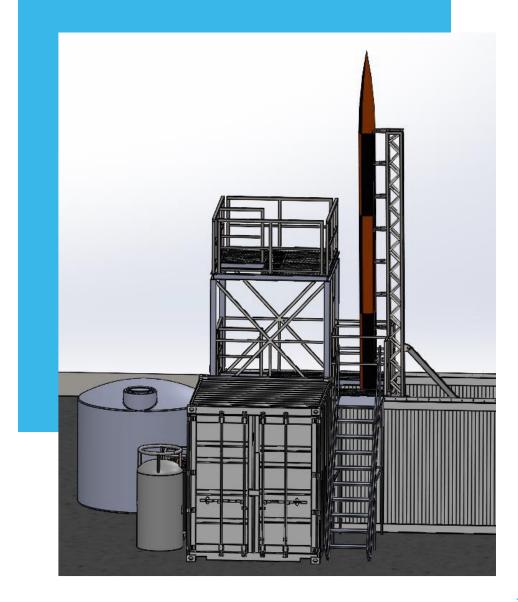
RANGE



Firehawk Aerospace

100 miles West, 30 Square miles of airspace-Inland Launch

Firehawk Aerospace Announces Development of 30-Square-Mile Launch Range for Hybrid Rocket Testing in West Texas PRESS RELEASE • NOV 1, 2023







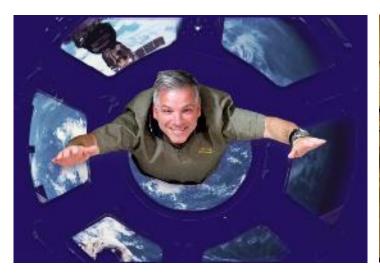


SPACE NATION - NEW TENANT

TO AMERICA'S



- ✓ Fast Growing
- ✓ AERO SPACE FLIGHT HUB
- ✓ WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST TENANTS:













Now in 2024, We Will Have More Midland Firsts!



First Satellite Direct to cell phone AST SpaceMobile



First Rocket Fuel that Does Not Explode-Firehawk Aerospace



First Bricks on the Moon
Astroport



First Plasma-Fusion Powered Superconducting Coil-"Texatron" Kepler Aerospace







Now in 2024, We Could Have a Functioning "Moon yard" and Robotic R&D Center

By new tenant ASTROPORT

Clients:

- ✓ DARPA
- ✓ DOD-AFRL
- ✓ NASA
- ✓ DIU

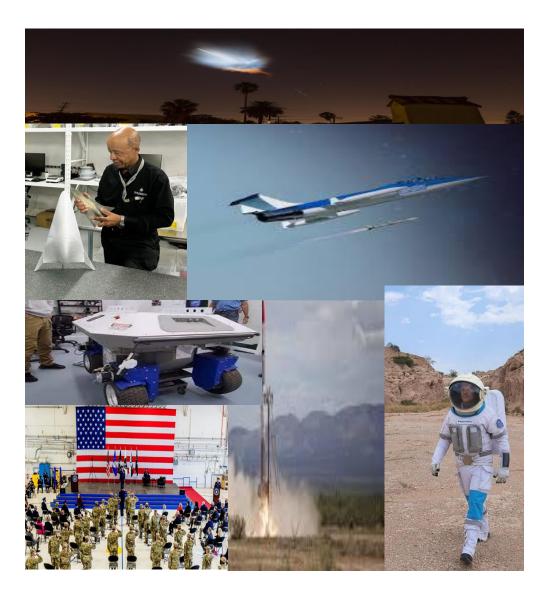








AND MORE COMING SOON...



MITRE Corporation High Speed Corridors Technology

Supersonic and Hypersonic Flight - Starfighters Space

Suborbital Flight-New Frontier Aerospace - Exos Aerospace

Space Missions Simulators and Rovers - Space Nation

US Space Force Association - SFA















GO - FORWARD BUSINESS PLAN 2024 - 2025







Achievable Growth Plan 2024-2025









2023 END OF THE YEAR UPDATE OUR THREE MARKETING PILLARS ARE ROBUST AND GROWING

Satellite Industry

Focus: LEO Sats -Build around AST

High Speed Aircraft and spacecraft

Focus: Airspace corridors and S2S Demos

Space Manufacturing and Technology

Focus: Hypersonic and Rocket Motor Testing

Energy and technologies















SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK PLAN

- 1. Business and Marketing Plan-Phase II (300 Acres) 2023
 - On Track- Phase II ideal for Rocket Motor Testing
 - Airspace Corridors Development (need new consultant!)
 - High Speed Flight Demonstrations (In Progress)
- 2. Familiarization Visits- May-September-November 2023
 - 3-4 companies, focus on Fortune 500, public, private and startups
 - Capture 1-2 new tenants in 2024
- 3. Specialized High-Speed Flight Workshops HSAT-November 14-15th at the UTPB/CEED (7th Edition)

75-125 guests and participants looking to R&D, manufacture and fly in Midland

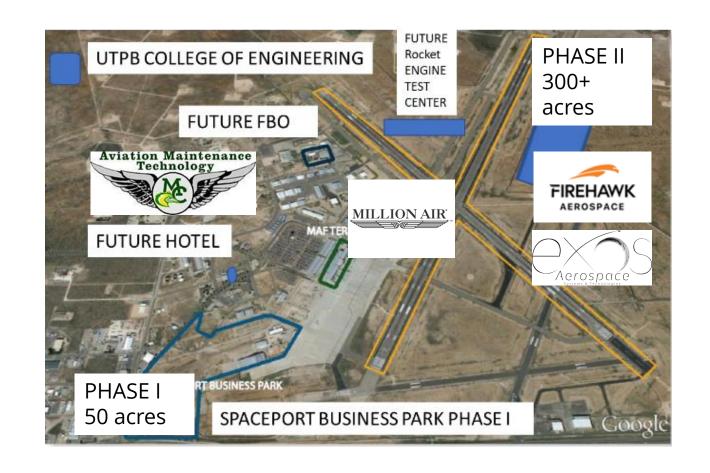




LAND AVAILABLE FOR NEW SPACE TENANT – EXOS AEROSPACE

300+ Additional Acres enabled for the Spaceport Business Park Phase II

- Airside-Flight Line
- Propulsion testing 24/7/365









Over 200,000 sq ft of New Build-to-Suit Aerospace Hangar Space Available Former FedEx Hangar

Very Attractive for Large Aerospace Companies





MULTI-USER FACILITIES

- Hypersonic and Rocket Motor Testing Ground and Flight
 Keep working with Calspan, and Axiom Space
- Use of acquired 300 Acres Business Park Phase II
 - Midland competitive due to Environmental and Permitting environments
 - Commercial Airport connectivity
 - ✓ Market to All Prospects
 - Reaction Engines
- Innoveering

Agile

Calspan

Firehawk

ATR





























SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK PHASE I ALMOST COMPLETE!



- ~35 Acres Leased 2021-2022
- ~10-12 acres remaining 2022-2023
- Potential Multi-Tenant Campus with Aerospace R&D and Research Facilities under discussions
 - Wind Tunnels
 - Propulsion Test Facility (CALSPAN- HAPCAT)
- MACC users including Axiom Space







THE MIDLAND SPACEPORT TERMINAL

By KEPLER AEROSPACE - Concept 1









THE MIDLAND SPACEPORT TERMINAL

By XARC - Concept 2













SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK HOTEL SITE RFP 2024

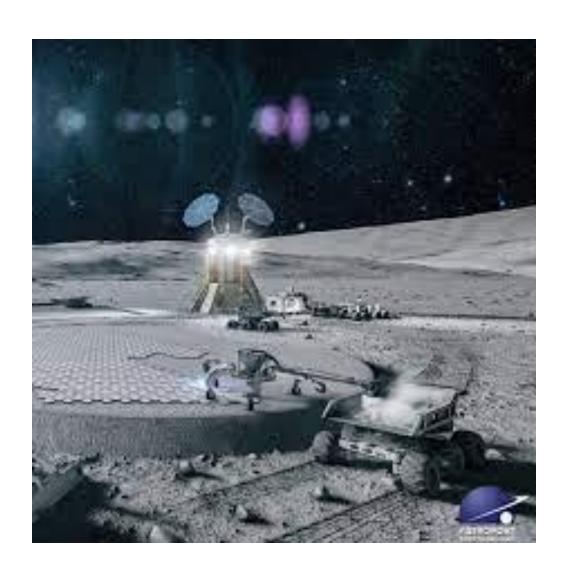
New RFP for Hotel, Restaurant and Café at the Spaceport – Expecting deal completion Q3-4 2024







2023 END OF YEAR UPDATE



NEW AREA OF FOCUS FOR NEW TENANTS:

SPACE IN SITU SPACE RESOURCES AND ENERGY

- ✓ New Tenant for Q3 2023 ASTROPORT Technologies
 - Focused on technologies for space resource utilization on the the
 Moon and extreme earth environments
 - Came to Fam trip in May-Preparing lease agreement with CEED for an office
 - Next step will be an R&D building
 - 5 Acres
 - 20,000sq ft
 - 10-15 employees
- ✓ Suppliers and vendors to follow









2024-2025 GROWTH PLAN

We expect that 3 to 4 more companies will be moving in, in 2024/25 with hundreds of more GOOD PAYING JOBS AND ADDED GDP in FOUR Key Areas:

- 1. Satellite and Related Industry
- High Speed Aircraft and Spacecraft
- 3. Space Manufacturing and RelatedTechnology
- 4. NEW-SPACE IN SITU
 RESOURCES AND ENERGY





SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK PHASES I AND II

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

Disciplined Consistent Approach in 2024

TASK	ACTIVITY/MONTH
1	MASTER AND BUSINESS PLAN UPDATE (MDC AND MAF)
	BUSINESS PARK DEVELOPMENT AND TENANTS
2	WORKSHOP DATE SELECTION
3	THEME and SCHEDULING
4	ATTENDEES CONTACTS
5	ATTENDEES SHORTLIST
6	WORKSHOP MARKETING
7	ATTENDEES PRE WORKSHOP VISITS
8	WORKSHOP DELIVERY
9	PROSPECTS FOLLOW UP AND CLOSINGS









FORWARD LOOKING

FOUR INDUSTRY SEGMENTS

Business - Economic

Development and

Marketing Activities-

Airspace Development

In Space Resources and Energy Utilization (ISRU)



Familiarization Trips

Groups and One on One

Specialized High-Speed

Flight Workshop (7th

Edition) Provides Tenant-

Inducing Leadership in the

aerospace industry









2024 MANAGEMENT PLAN

WE HAVE A WELL THOUGHT OUT AND MANAGED PLAN

Executed and Supported By:

- ✓ MDC and MSDC
 - ✓ SPECIAL FOCUS TEXAS SPACE COMISSION-FUNDED ~\$600+M
- ✓ Midland Air and Spaceport
- ✓ IFG, IFG Capital, FastForward-HSAT Think Tank
- ✓ Global Spaceport Alliance, Commercial Spaceflight Federation
- ✓ US Space Force Association (SFA)
- ✓ FAA, DOT, DOC, DOC
- Congressional delegations: State and Federal funding





2024 Action Plan



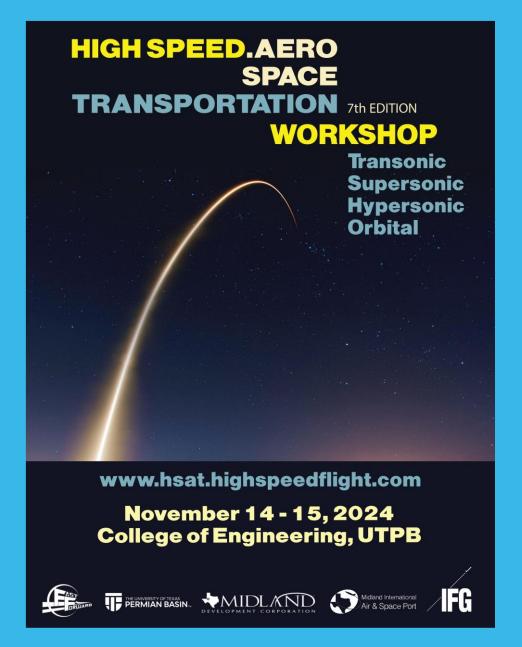






WORKSHOP 2024

ALREADY 40-50% REPEAT ATTENDANCE CONFIRMED









SPACEPORT AND BUSINESS PARK FUNDING







SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK AIRSPACE AND GROUND FACILITIES - FUNDING

IFG is working with the MDC to achieve maximum funding:

- ✓ CSF and GSA asked for \$60M STIM Grant Appropriation
- ✓ MDC- MSDC Ready to intake funds and a Board Seat from the Texas Space Commission-
- ✓ CSF introduced language in FAA Reauthorization bill for NEXGEN funding for airspace developments ~\$30-50M
- ✓ MITRE Corporation and Flight Research Aerospace to collaborate on funding for airspace development \$1-10M
- ✓ Private Equity Offices in Midland ~\$50K-\$5M:
 - Capital Factory
 - Eastland International
 - Space Venture Studio
 - IFG Capital







WHAT CAN WE DO BETTER?







SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT FOCUS

Workforce and Leadership Development

- Midland College A&P Program Assets- RESTARTED AMT PROGRAM!
- Explore private funding to make AMT an Aerospace "Makers" Lab

First Project:

- Starfighters F-104
- Velocity Rocket Racer

Assets:

- Jigs, Tools, and physical space; labs, shops
- Qualified faculty-mentors

Projects:

High-Speed and Rocket
 Vehicles

Funding:

- PPP
- Private
- Public







SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT FOCUS

Workforce and Leadership Development Midland College:

- ✓ Complete Curriculum development SpaceTec-COMPLETED
- ✓ A&P Program-RESTARTED
 - Sustain with aerospace certification program
 - Explore private funding to make it an Aerospace "Makers" Lab

UTPB-UT System JHTO-UCAH Enrolled And Participating:

- ✓ Higher Orbits
 - Promote early recruitment of STEAM
- Aeronautical Engineering

AST, Firehawk, and Kepler Workforce Planning:

 Leads to Texas EDC workforce development funding and Curriculum development





AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT FOCUS



Workforce and Leadership Development

First Possible Projects:

- ✓ Starfighters NASA
- F-104 Testbed for the AMT-Contribution in Kind-Students
- ✓ Program Velocity Rocket Racer- Kepler Aerospace

Marketing, PR and Communications to local Midland Community









SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK 2024 Action Plan

Next Steps, Comments, Ideas:





MIDLAND AIR & SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK "CONNECTED" TO AEROSPACE BUSINESS

- C ommunity-oriented always striving to be a good neighbor and to provide long-term community value
- outreach to seek the space, aerospace, aviation and non-aeronautical industries, businesses, and commerce, for understanding their needs and priorities that we can accommodate.
- N ew ways of evaluating opportunities and challenges by creating innovative solutions
- N urture and guide employee growth and well-being while respecting community leadership and authority
- E nvironmental stewardship and mitigation
- C onscious of safety and security in our operations
- ransparent governance and management based on integrity, trust, and respect
- E xcellence in service with fair, responsive, and courteous treatment of all
- D iversified revenue streams to ensure the long-term sustained financial self-sufficiency







WELCOME ON BOARD



MIDLAND, TEXAS AIR AND SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK







RESOLUTION NO.	
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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONSULTANT SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH INTERFLIGHT GLOBAL CORPORATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$175,425.00 FOR SERVICES RELATED TO THE PROCUREMENT OF NEW TENANTS FOR FACILITIES LOCATED AT THE SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK; AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT FOR SAID AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors finds it to be in the public interest to authorize the execution of a consultant services agreement with InterFlight Global Corporation in the amount of \$175,425.00 for services related to the procurement of new tenants for facilities located at the Spaceport Business Park;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION:

SECTION ONE. That the Chairman and Secretary are hereby authorized and directed to execute and attest, respectively, on behalf of the Midland Development Corporation, a consultant services agreement with InterFlight Global Corporation in the amount of \$175,425.00 for services related to the procurement of new tenants for facilities located at the Spaceport Business Park. Said agreement being in the form substantially similar to that of Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes.

SECTION TWO. That the City Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to pay InterFlight Global Corporation in accordance with the terms of said agreement from funds available in the Midland Development Corporation Fund (235) Operating Budget upon receipt of proper invoices or statements approved by the Executive Director of the Midland Development Corporation or her designee.

	On motion of Director	_, seconded by	Director		, the
above	and foregoing resolution was adopted	by the Board	of Directors	of the	Midland
Develo	opment Corporation at a regular meeting	g on the	day of		, A.D.
2024.	by the following vote:				

Directors voting "AYE":		
Directors voting "NAY":		
	P. LOURCEY SAMS, Chairman of the Midland Development Corporation	
ATTEST:		
JILL PENNINGTON, Secretary of the Midland	_	
Development Corporation APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY:		
JOHN OHNEMILLER,		
Attorney for the Midland		
Development Corporation		

CONSULTING SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and effective the 27th day of February, 2024, by and between the MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, a Type A economic development corporation pursuant to Chapter 504 of the Texas Local Government Code, as amended ("MDC"), and INTERFLIGHT GLOBAL CORPORATION ("COMPANY").

ARTICLE I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to state the terms and conditions under which COMPANY shall perform certain consulting services and complete certain deliverables in connection with procuring new tenants for City of Midland-owned properties located at Midland International Air & Space Port Business Park (collectively, the "Services").

ARTICLE II. SERVICES TO BE PERFORMED

- 1. COMPANY shall perform/complete the Services that are more particularly set forth and described in **Exhibit A**, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes.
- 2. COMPANY shall perform the Services consistent with the same level of skill and care as other professionals in approximately the same region at approximately the same point in time and for the same types of projects. COMPANY represents that any employee who performs the Services under this Agreement shall be fully qualified and competent to perform the Services.

ARTICLE III. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

1. MDC agrees to pay COMPANY in an amount not to exceed \$175,425.00 for the Services according to the schedule set forth in **Exhibit A**. The MDC Executive Director, or her designee, must approve all additional expenses and reimbursable expenses in advance. Within thirty (30) days of the date on which COMPANY's invoice is received by MDC, MDC shall pay the full amount of such invoice; provided, however, that if MDC objects to any portion of an invoice, MDC shall notify COMPANY of MDC's objection and the grounds thereof within fifteen (15) days of the date of receipt of the invoice, and the parties shall immediately make every effort to settle the disputed portion of the invoice. MDC in any event shall pay every portion of the invoice that is not in dispute within the 30-day period for payment.

Exhibit A

- 2. Expenses will be invoiced separately. Additional travel, lodging, and other direct or incidental expense guidelines include the following:
 - a. Privately-owned vehicle mileage will be reimbursed at the current GSA mileage rate;
 - b. When mileage is charged, a mileage usage log or approved alternate method must be maintained to support the charge. If mileage usage log is submitted, it must include at a minimum travel dates, times, locations and mileage traveled;
 - c. Car rental reimbursement will be limited to cost of full-sized vehicle, or SUV if multiple passengers, and necessary fuel;
 - d. Airfare reimbursement will be limited to cost of economy class fares;
 - e. Lodging reimbursement will be limited to the cost of standard rooms, upgrade expenses for studios and suites are not an allowable reimbursement expense;
 - g. Tips for service, i.e. meals, and parking greater than 20% are not an allowable reimbursement expense; and
 - h. Profit mark-ups are not allowable expense on other direct or incidental expenses.

ARTICLE IV. TERM

The term of this Agreement shall be from **February 29, 2024, until February 28, 2025**, unless the Agreement is terminated as provided below.

ARTICLE V. TERMINATION AT WILL

MDC may terminate this Agreement at will for no or any reason upon giving at least one-hundred eighty (180) days' written notice to COMPANY. The parties to this Agreement understand and agree that it is in MDC's sole discretion to cancel the Agreement during the term of the Agreement without penalty to MDC. COMPANY has no expectation and has received no guarantees that this Agreement will not be terminated before the end of the Agreement term. The parties have bargained for the flexibility of terminating this Agreement upon tender of the requisite notice at any time during the term of the Agreement. All work under the Agreement shall be suspended upon termination of the Agreement becoming effective.

ARTICLE VI. ASSIGNMENT

COMPANY shall not, either directly or indirectly, assign all or any part of this Agreement

or any interest, right or privilege herein, without the prior written consent of MDC. The issue on whether or not to grant consent to an assignment is in the sole discretion of MDC.

ARTICLE VII. OWNERSHIP AND CONFIDENTIALITY OF DOCUMENTS AND OTHER WORK PRODUCT

All reports, information and other data ("Instruments of Service"), given to, prepared or assembled by COMPANY under this Agreement, and any other related documents or items shall become the sole property of MDC and shall be delivered to MDC, without restriction, except that COMPANY may make copies of any and all Instruments of Service for its files. MDC shall not make any modification to the plans and specifications or make them available for use by third parties without the prior written authorization of COMPANY, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

ARTICLE VIII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

It is expressly understood and agreed that COMPANY shall perform the Services as an independent contractor and not as an officer, agent, servant or employee of MDC; that COMPANY shall have exclusive control of and the exclusive right to control the details of the Services and work performed hereunder, and all persons performing the same; and shall be solely responsible for the acts and omissions of its officers, agents, employees, contractors and subcontractors; that the doctrine of respondeat superior shall not apply as between MDC and COMPANY, its officers, agents, employees, contractors and subcontractors; and that nothing herein shall be construed as creating a partnership or joint enterprise between MDC and COMPANY. No person performing any of the Services shall be considered an officer, agent, servant or employee of MDC. Further, it is specifically understood and agreed that nothing in this Agreement is intended or shall be construed as creating a "Community of Pecuniary Interest" or "An Equal Right of Control" which would give rise to vicarious liability. COMPANY shall be an independent contractor under this Agreement and shall assume all of the rights, obligations and liabilities, applicable to it as such independent contractor hereunder. MDC does not have the power to direct the order in which the work is done. MDC shall not have the right to control the means, methods or details of COMPANY'S work. COMPANY shall assume exclusive responsibility for the work. COMPANY is entirely free to do the work in its own way.

ARTICLE IX. INSURANCE

COMPANY shall at all times during the term of this Agreement maintain and keep in full force and effect insurance in the following types and minimum amounts with companies authorized to do business in the State of Texas:

Commercial General Liability (including Contractual liability):

-Personal Injury: \$1,000,000.00 per person

\$1,000,000.00 per occurrence

-Property Damage: \$500,000.00 per occurrence

Business Automobile Liability: \$250,000.00 combined single limit -

Personal Injury and Property Damage

Workers' Compensation: Statutory limits

Employers' Liability: \$500,000.00 per accident or occurrence

The Commercial General Liability shall be on a per project aggregate, including completed operations, and shall be on a claims-occurred basis. This insurance shall name MDC as an additional insured and waive subrogation in favor of MDC.

The Business Automobile Liability insurance provided by COMPANY shall cover any auto for bodily injury and property damage, including owned vehicles, hired and non-hired vehicles, and employee non-ownership, and the amount of such policy shall be a minimum of \$250,000.00 covering any vehicle used for the execution of the work that is the subject of this Agreement. This insurance shall name MDC as an additional insured and waive subrogation in favor of MDC.

The Workers' Compensation coverage provided by COMPANY shall inure to the benefit of employees injured during the course and scope of their employment by COMPANY pursuant to this Agreement. The Workers' Compensation shall waive all rights of subrogation in favor of MDC.

All insurance required pursuant to this Agreement shall provide for a waiver of subrogation in favor of MDC. All insurance required pursuant to this Agreement, except for Workers' Compensation Insurance, shall name MDC as an additional insured on a claims occurred basis. MDC shall be provided the notice by COMPANY'S insurance provider not later than thirty (30) days prior to any reduction or termination of such coverage.

COMPANY shall contractually require all contractors, subcontractors, and subsubcontractors that work on any portion of the work that is the subject of this Agreement to obtain insurance coverage that meets or exceeds the policy requirements and minimum amounts specified herein. All contractors, subcontractors, and sub-subcontractors shall obtain insurance policies that provide blanket waivers of subrogation in favor of MDC and policies that name the MDC as an additional insured on a claims occurred basis (except workers' compensation).

The parties agree that, prior to the execution of the Agreement, COMPANY shall provide one or more certificates of insurance specifically stating that these requirements have been met and subject to the approval of MDC. MDC shall not be required to provide any insurance whatsoever pursuant to this Agreement.

COMPANY certifies that the certificate of insurance provided as required herein complies with the requirements of Chapter 1811 of the Texas Insurance Code. COMPANY shall not use an unapproved certificate of insurance or insert inappropriate language on a certificate. Compliance with state law is the sole responsibility of COMPANY.

Nothwithstanding any contrary provision contained herein, MDC's Executive Director, in her sole and absolute discretion, may modify the insurance requirements contained in this Article.

ARTICLE X. ATTORNEY FEES

BY EXECUTING THIS AGREEMENT, COMPANY AGREES TO WAIVE AND DOES HEREBY WAIVE ANY CLAIM IT HAS OR MAY HAVE IN THE FUTURE AGAINST MDC REGARDING THE AWARD OF ATTORNEY FEES THAT IS IN ANY WAY **RELATED** TO **THIS** AGREEMENT, OR THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION OR BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT. COMPANY AGREES THAT IF COMPANY BRINGS OR COMMENCES ANY LEGAL ACTION OR PROCEEDING RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT, THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION, VALIDITY OR BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY ACTION PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE TEXAS UNIFORM DECLARATORY JUDGMENTS ACT (TEXAS CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE SECTION 37.001, ET SEQ., AS AMENDED), THAT COMPANY AGREES TO (i) WAIVE AND RELINQUISH ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO THE RECOVERY OF ATTORNEY FEES TO WHICH IT MIGHT OTHERWISE BE ENTITLED AND (ii) ASSUME COMPLETE FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND PAY ALL ATTORNEY FEES AND ASSOCIATED COSTS INCURRED IN GOOD FAITH BY MDC IN MDC'S CONTESTING OF THE LEGAL ACTION OR PROCEEDING BROUGHT BY COMPANY. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE SHALL SURVIVE THE TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT.

COMPANY AGREES THAT THIS IS THE VOLUNTARY AND INTENTIONAL (i) RELINQUISHMENT AND ABANDONMENT OF A PRESENTLY EXISTING KNOWN RIGHT AND (ii) ASSUMPTION OF A FUTURE OBLIGATION IN THE EVENT THAT COMPANY BRINGS OR COMMENCES ANY LEGAL ACTION OR PROCEEDING AGAINST MDC RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT, THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION, VALIDITY OR BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY ACTION PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE TEXAS UNIFORM DECLARATORY JUDGEMENTS ACT (TEXAS CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE SECTION 37.001, ET SEQ., AS AMENDMED). COMPANY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT COMPANY UNDERSTANDS ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT. COMPANY FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT THERE WAS AND IS NO DISPARITY OF BARGAINING POWER BETWEEN COMPANY AND MDC. THIS SECTION SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED OR INTERPRETED AS A WAIVER OF GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY.

COMPANY IS RELYING ON ITS OWN JUDGMENT. COMPANY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT COMPANY HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS THIS AGREEMENT WITH LEGAL COUNSEL PRIOR TO ITS EXECUTION.

ARTICLE XI. GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY

By executing this Agreement MDC is not waiving its right of governmental immunity. MDC is not granting consent to be sued by legislative resolution or action. **THERE IS NO WAIVER OF GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY.**

ARTICLE XII. NO THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES

MDC's approval of this Agreement does not create a third-party beneficiary. There is no

third-party beneficiary to this Agreement. No person or entity who is not a party to this Agreement shall have any third-party beneficiary or other rights hereunder.

ARTICLE XIII. RELEASE

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISIONS, COMPANY HEREBY RELEASES, ACQUITS, RELINQUISHES AND FOREVER DISCHARGES MDC, MDC'S EMPLOYEES AND OFFICERS, FROM ANY AND ALL DEMANDS, CLAIMS, DAMAGES, OR CAUSES OF ACTION OF ANY KIND WHATSOEVER WHICH COMPANY HAS OR MIGHT HAVE IN THE FUTURE, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO BREACH OF AGREEMENT, QUANTUM MERUIT, CLAIMS UNDER THE DUE PROCESS AND TAKINGS CLAUSES OF THE TEXAS AND UNITED STATES CONSTITUTIONS, TORT CLAIMS, OR MDC'S NEGLIGENCE. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE SHALL SURVIVE THE TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT.

ARTICLE XIV. INDEMNITY

COMPANY SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS AND DEFEND MDC AND ALL OF MDC'S OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM ALL SUITS, ACTIONS, CLAIMS, DAMAGES, PERSONAL INJURIES, ACCIDENTAL DEATH, LOSSES, PROPERTY DAMAGE AND EXPENSES OF ANY CHARACTER WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEES, BROUGHT FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY INJURIES OR DAMAGES RECEIVED OR SUSTAINED BY ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OR PROPERTY, ON ACCOUNT OF ANY NEGLIGENT ACT OF COMPANY, THEIR AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES, OR ANY SUBCONTRACTOR, IN THE EXECUTION, SUPERVISION AND OPERATIONS GROWING OUT OF OR IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT, AND COMPANY SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PAY ANY JUDGMENT WITH COSTS WHICH MAY BE OBTAINED AGAINST MDC OR ANY OF ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEES.

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COMPANY AGREES THAT IT SHALL INDEMNIFY AND SAVE MDC HARMLESS FROM ALL CLAIMS GROWING OUT OF ANY DEMANDS OF SUBCONTRACTORS, LABORERS, WORKMEN, MECHANICS, MATERIALMEN, AND FURNISHERS OF MACHINERY AND PARTS THEREOF, EQUIPMENT, POWER TOOLS AND ALL SUPPLIES, INCURRED IN THE FURTHERANCE OF THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT. WHEN MDC SO DESIRES, COMPANY SHALL FURNISH SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE THAT ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE NATURE HEREINABOVE DESIGNATED HAVE BEEN PAID, DISCHARGED OR WAIVED. COMPANY, ITS SURETIES AND INSURANCE CARRIERS SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND SAVE HARMLESS MDC AND ALL OF ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM ALL SUITS, ACTIONS, OR CLAIMS OF ANY CHARACTER WHATSOEVER, BROUGHT FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY INJURIES OR DAMAGES RECEIVED OR SUSTAINED BY ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OR PROPERTY, ARISING FROM ANY ACT OF COMPANY OR ANY SUBCONTRACTOR, THEIR AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES, IN THE EXECUTION AND SUPERVISION OF THIS AGREEMENT, AND SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PAY ANY JUDGMENT WITH COSTS WHICH MAY BE OBTAINED AGAINST MDC OR ANY OF ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS, OR EMPLOYEES INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEES.

THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE SHALL SURVIVE THE TERMINATION

OF THIS AGREEMENT.

ARTICLE XV. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Waiver. No waiver by MDC of a breach of any covenant, condition, or restriction of

this Agreement shall be construed or held to be a waiver of any succeeding or preceding breach of

the same or any other covenant, condition, or restriction contained in this Agreement.

B. Governing Law and Venue. The laws of the State of Texas shall govern, construe and

enforce all rights and duties of the Parties, including, but not limited to, tort claims and any

contractual claims or disputes arising from or relating in any way to the subject matter of this

Agreement, without regard to conflict of laws and rules that would direct application of the laws

of another jurisdiction. All performance and payment made pursuant to this Agreement shall be

deemed to have occurred in Midland County, Texas. The obligations and undertakings of the

Parties shall be deemed to have occurred in Midland County, Texas. Exclusive venue for any

claim, suit, or other action arising from or connected in any way to this Agreement shall be in

Midland County, Texas.

C. Notice. Any notice or demand that shall be made regarding this Agreement, shall be

made in writing and delivered either in person or by certified or registered mail. Notice by mail

shall be complete upon deposit of the paper, postage prepaid, in a post office or official depository

under the care and custody of the United States Postal Service addressed as follows:

If to MDC: **Executive Director**

Midland Development Corporation

200 N. Loraine, Suite 610 Midland, Texas 79701

If to COMPANY: InterFlight Global Corporation

1434 Spruce Street, Suite 100

Boulder, Colorado 80302

The parties hereto may change the above-designated addresses by giving notice pursuant to the terms of this Section.

- D. <u>Severability</u>. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this Agreement shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, this invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision of the Agreement, and this Agreement shall be construed as if the invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.
- E. <u>Use of Language.</u> Words in the singular shall be held to include the plural, unless the context otherwise requires.
- F. <u>Amendments, Modifications, Alterations.</u> No amendment, modification, or alteration of the terms of this Agreement shall be binding unless it is in writing, dated subsequent to the date of this Agreement, and duly executed by the parties to this Agreement.
- G. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall be deemed as original, and all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.
- H. <u>Federal Wage Requirements</u>. If applicable, the Davis-Bacon Act, 29 CFR 5.5, and any related acts or regulations are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement, and all terms and requirements under said laws, by such incorporation, are made terms and requirements of this Agreement, to which the parties to this Agreement have agreed to be bound.
- I. Notice of Alleged Breach; Statutory Prerequisites. As a condition precedent to filing suit for alleged damages incurred by an alleged breach of an express or implied provision of this Agreement, COMPANY or his legal representative, shall give the MDC Chairman, or any other reasonable official of MDC, notice in writing (consisting of one (1) original and seven (7) copies of notice attached to a copy of this Agreement) of such damages, duly verified, within ninety (90) days after the same has been sustained. The discovery rule does not apply to the giving of this notice. The notice shall include when, where and how the damages occurred, the apparent extent

thereof, the amount of damages sustained, the amount for which COMPANY will settle, the physical and mailing addresses of COMPANY at the time and date the claim was presented and the physical and mailing addresses of COMPANY for the six (6) months immediately preceding the occurrence of such damages, and the names and addresses of the witnesses upon whom COMPANY relies to establish its claim; and a failure to so notify the MDC Chairman within the time and manner provided herein shall exonerate, excuse and except MDC from any liability whatsoever. MDC is under no obligation to provide notice to COMPANY that COMPANY'S notice is insufficient. MDC reserves the right to request reasonable additional information regarding the claim. Said additional information shall be supplied within thirty (30) days after receipt of notice.

The statutory prerequisites outlined herein constitute jurisdictional requirements pursuant to Section 271.154 of the Texas Local Government Code and Section 311.034 of the Texas Government Code. Notwithstanding any other provision, COMPANY'S failure to comply with the requirements herein shall perpetually bar COMPANY'S claim for damages under Chapter 271 of the Texas Local Government Code, and Section 311.034 of the Texas Government Code, regardless if MDC has actual or constructive notice or knowledge of said claim or alleged damages. COMPANY agrees that the requirements of this entire Agreement are reasonable. The provisions of this Section shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

- J. <u>Prompt Pay Act.</u> MDC and COMPANY agree that Texas Government Code, Chapter 2251, Payment for Goods and Services does not waive governmental immunity.
- K. <u>Compliance</u>. COMPANY agrees that it shall comply with Texas Government Code Section 2252.908, as amended. COMPANY agrees that it shall comply with Texas Local Government Code Section 176.006, as amended.
- L. <u>Anti-Boycott Statutes.</u> To the extent that Tex. Gov't Code §§ 2271.002 and 2274.002 apply to this Agreement, COMPANY hereby verifies that:
 - COMPANY does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement;
 - COMPANY does not boycott energy companies and will not boycott energy companies during the term of this Agreement; and

COMPANY does not have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that
discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association and will not
discriminate during the term of this Agreement against any firearm entity or firearm
trade association.

If Tex. Gov't Code § 2270.002 does not apply to this Agreement, such verification is not required, and COMPANY shall be deemed to have not made such verification.

M. Records Retention and Production of Information. To the extent that this Agreement is a contract described by Tex. Gov't Code § 552.371, COMPANY shall: (i) preserve all contracting information related to the Agreement as provided by the records retention requirements applicable to MDC for the duration of the contract; (ii) promptly provide to MDC any contracting information related to the Agreement that is in the custody or possession of COMPANY on request of MDC; and (iii) on completion of the Agreement, either (a) provide at no cost to MDC all contracting information related to the Agreement that is in the custody or possession of COMPANY, or (b) preserve the contracting information related to the Agreement as provided by the records retention requirements applicable to MDC.

N. <u>Public Information</u>. To the extent that this Agreement is a contract described by Tex. Gov't Code § 552.371, COMPANY agrees as follows in accordance with Tex. Gov't Code § 552.372(b): The requirements of Subchapter J, Chapter 552, Government Code, may apply to this contract, and the contractor or vendor agrees that the contract can be terminated if the contractor or vendor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter.

O. <u>Conflict of Terms.</u> If a conflict of terms or language exists between: (i) any of the provisions of this Agreement; and (ii) any of the provisions contained in any exhibit(s) attached to this Agreement, precedence shall be given to the provisions of this Agreement. For the avoidance of any doubt, the provisions contained in this Agreement shall supersede any and all conflicting provisions contained in any exhibit(s) attached hereto. Furthermore, the Parties acknowledge and agree that any provision contained in an exhibit(s) attached to this Agreement that imposes an additional express or implied obligation on MDC is hereby made void and of no force or effect. MDC's sole and exclusive obligations under this Agreement are contained in the provisions of this Agreement that precede the signature page(s), which evidences the Parties' execution and

acceptance hereof.

P. Interpretation. By executing this Agreement, the Parties acknowledge and agree that this

Agreement shall not be interpreted or construed against any Party solely because such Party or its

legal counsel drafted this Agreement. The Parties have read, understood, and approve of the

language and terms set forth herein.

[Signature Pages Follow]

	EXECUTED	by t	he duly	authorized	officials	of 1	the	Parties	as	of :	the	day	and	year	first
above	written.														

MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

P. Lourcey Sams, Chairman

COMPANY:	
By:	_
Name:	_
Title:	-
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STATE OF	
BEFORE ME, the undersigned	authority, on this day of, 2024
personally appeared,	of INTERFLIGHT GLOBAL
CORPORATION, known to me to be the	he person and official whose name is subscribed to the
forgoing instrument, and acknowledged	to me that he executed the same as the act and deed or
said entity, for the purposes and considera	ation therein expressed, and in the capacity therein stated
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND	AND SEAL OF OFFICE this the day of
, 2024.	
	Notary Dublic State of



MIDLAND AIR & SPACEPORT BUSINESS PARK

ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

MASTER, BUSINESS AND STRATEGIC BUSINESS AND MARKETING PLANS
HIGH SPEED AEROSPACE TRANSPORTATION WORKSHOPS & FAM TRIPS

~ CONTRACT RENEWAL 2024 ~



Thursday, January 18th, 2024

Presented to: Mrs. Sara Harris, Executive Director, Midland Development Corporation



InterFlight Global
Intelligent Aviation & Aerospace Solutions

Logo Map of Onsite and IFG Generated Current and Near-Term (in blue) Tenants:

- → AST SpaceMobile
- → Astroport
- → Firehawk
- → Kepler Aerospace
- → LeoLabs
- → MITRE
- → Nano Avionics
- > New Frontier Aerospace
- → Space Force Association
- → Space Nation
- → Starfighters Space
- → Wex Foundation

























Logo Map of FAM Trips and HSAT Visiting Workshop Companies:

























































































Mrs. Sara Harris, Executive Director Midland Development Corporation 200 N. Loraine, Suite 610 Midland, TX 79701

Dear Mrs. Sara Harris:

InterFlight Global Corporation (IFG) is pleased to present you with this contract renewal proposal for the year 2024. We are ready, willing, and able to continue augmenting the MDC's Aerospace and Defense economic industries development efforts including all actions and activities required to effectively identify, select, attract, retain, and grow the existing pool of high-quality aerospace and defense industries tenants as lessees, buyers, developers and investors of the available space(s), land and properties at the Midland Air and Spaceport and its environs. It is a pleasure, honor and privilege working for the MDC with your leadership, support, and guidance.

This renewal proposal will be complemented by IFG's year end 2023 and year ahead 2024 updates. The briefings highlight some of our most important accomplishments for 2023, and the strategic forecasts of the follow-on activities envisioned to succeed in the tasks proposed for the Midland Air and Spaceport Business Park and environs in 2024. This year, we will keep growing the tenants' base in the three industrial pillars: 1) satellites, 2) high-speed-flight and launch, 3) Aerospace and Defense deep technologies, and add a fourth (4th): the Space Resources and Energy industry vertical. The Resources and Energy (R&E) vertical will be included in the spaceport's cluster of companies guiding strategic plan. This R&E segment of the industry in our nation alone represents over \$60B a year in direct financial activity, with economic impacts many multiples of that amount. In 2023 we retained Astroport as the first tenant in this new segment. Added to the other pillars, the addressable industrial segments we are targeting are in excess of \$.5 trillion dollars of economic activity.

It is very positive news, that we already have at least one anchor tenant onsite Midland for each of the four industrial pillars:





SATELLITES & RELATED	HIGH-SPEED FLIGHT AND	AEROSPACE & DEFENSE	SPACE REOURCES AND
TECHNOLOGIES	LAUNCH	TECHNOLOGIES	ENERGY
AST SPACEMOBILE	FIREHAWK / NEW	LEOLABS / KEPLER	ASTROPORT
	FRONTIER AEROSPACE	AEROSPACE	
RST SpaceMobile	FIREHAWK AEROSPACE	LEO 🕳 LABS	ASTROPORT SPICE RECHICLOGIES
	NEW FRONTIER	Kepler	

Our highly specialized knowledge, experience, participation and leadership in the Aerospace and Defense industries and complexes, is the key to our successful promotion, marketing, and economic impact of incoming companies to the Midland Air and Spaceport.

Our day-to-day leadership, relationships and activities in the National and International Aerospace and Defense industrial ecosystems allow us to identify, interact with, attract, retain and grow quality companies. In addition, we thrive on assisting the MDC to design, negotiate and close deals with the top selected tenants to ensure that they come to and grow in Midland insourcing jobs, CAPEX and producing important direct, indirect, and induced economic impacts the short, mid and long term.

As we have done for the previous 5 years, we will continuously improve and enhance our very unique "consultative brokerage" methodology for economic and business development, which involves cost effective "inbound" prospects visits (Familiarization (FAM) Trips), strategic structuring of their relocation plans and all insights and arguments to induce leases.

The existing prospect tenant pipeline is robust and growing from month to month. Importantly, existing tenants, and potential new ones, are growing and bringing their relationships with them, e.g., strategic partners, vendors, suppliers and clients to the Familiarization trips, workshops, and meetings, as well as at trade shows and industry events.

For example, together with the MDC, we enabled Firehawk Aerospace to add a vertical launch site to their presence at the Midland Spaceport environs. Firehawk was being lured by several other spaceports to set up





their facilities, and we worked hard to win it and bring it to Midland. Firehawk has already lined up three other launch vehicles and high-speed weapons technologies operators to launch from the new facility.

In addition, the vertical launch site has re-ignited interest and is taking us closer to bringing in another licensed launch and hypersonic operator, with intent to set up manufacturing, R&D and assembly of hypersonic and suborbital rockets in Midland.

We are very optimistic about the growing relationship between the MDC and MITRE Corporation, CALSPAN and the NASA Johnson Space Center, Houston Ellington Spaceport, the Texas Space Commission, the Space Force Association and with Spaceport America, after their familiarization visits to Midland in 2023.

IFG applauds and welcomes the newly acquired parcel of circa 300 acres of land at the Spaceport, to accommodate prospect tenants and potential tenants involved in flight and ground activities such as engine testing, prototype development and flight testing.

In summary, the Spaceport forecast for the Business Park Phase III (2024-2025) is on track, and IFG is extremely confident and optimistic that the Spaceport Business Park will grow even more as an Aerospace and Defense industrial complex financial, economic and diversification asset to the City of Midland. The Space Resources and Energy (R&E) vertical aligns well and empowers Midland as the "Energy" capital of the Nation and indeed, the World.

At IFG, we have domestic and international reach, mainly in Europe, through our Luxembourg office, in both the public and private segments of both the air and space transportation and defense industries. Very importantly for this project, we understand the Midland Air and Spaceport competitive edge very well and are set to attract new companies, and together with the MDC, we can maximize Midland's competitive edge aligning public and private funding, economic and business development.

An exciting and critical task for 2024 will be to translate and direct to the Midland mainstream public the informational, PR, marketing and communications efforts that IFG is affecting Nationwide at multiple levels. The Midland Air and Spaceport is now firmly on the radar at all levels from Mainstreet-Aerospace and Defense circles to US Government agencies, Congress and Federally funded Research Centers, Agencies, Standards Developers, and others.





We are fully involved in and engaged with these fast-evolving sectors and prepared to apply our expertise to your needs.

For the project deliverables, lines of action and work product, our Professional Fees are (Exhibit A):

- 1. STRATEGIC-BUSINESS PLAN REVIEWS AND UPDATES \$22,425
- 2. FAMILIARIZATION (FAM) TRIPS (MINIMUM 3) \$40,250
- 3. MDC REPRESENTATION YEAR-ROUND AT REVLEVANT TRADE AND GOVERNMENT EVENTS \$40,250
- 4. HIGH SPEED AEROSPACE TRANSPORTATION (HSAT) WORKSHOP END OF YEAR \$72,500
 - 7th Edition November 14th and 15th, 2024 -Already highly subscribed

\$175,425 total (contract length of 12 months: February 2024 through January 2025), excludes travel costs. The project will be billed in four (4) bi-monthly stages of \$43,856 each.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit this proposal. We look forward to continuing work on this important "momentum building" and financial climb for the Spaceport and the Spaceport Business Park.

Midland Spaceport, we are building success upon success!

Sincerely,

Oscar S. Garcia, Chairman & CEO

InterFlight Global Corporation





EXHIBIT A. FIXED FIRM PRICE OVERVIEW – ALL ELEMENTS

Project Task List and Price:

	PROJECT NAME: MIDLAND AIR AND SPACEPORT BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT	2024
	PROJECT ACTIVITY	FIXED FIRM PRICE
Element 1	STRATEGIC-BUSINESS PLAN REVIEWS AND UPDATES	\$22,425
1.1	Marketing, Communications and Economic Development Plan Execution	
1.2	Spaceport Strategic and Business Plan Aligned with Midland Airport Master Plans	
1.3	Workshop Design / Integration MAF Master- W/Master, Business & Marketing Plan	
Element 2	FAMILIARIZATION (FAM) TRIPS (MINIMUM 3)	\$40,250
2.1	Fam Trips to bring potential tenants, businesses and relationships to the Spaceport Business Park	
2.2	Organization and execution of Fam Trips	
2.3	Identification, Selection, Capture and Closing of new Tenants and Customers for Spaceport and Business Park	
2.4	Three to four Fam Trips per year, with multiple invitees each, 3-day span	
2.5	Follow ups from Fam Trips- Retention and Closing support to MDC	
Element 3	MDC REPRESENTATION YEAR-ROUND	\$40,250
3.1	Multiple Trips to represent MDC, e.g. Commercial Spaceflight Federation in Washington DC	
3.2	Strategic Relationships Building- Economic Development (Tenants)	
3.3	Strategic Relationships Building-Regulatory, Legislative and PPP (CSF, GSA, FAA, DOT/C/D, Lobbying support)	
Element 4	HIGH SPEED AEROSPACE TRANSPORTATION (HSAT) WORKSHOP	\$72,500
4.1	Organization, arrangement and execution of HSAT Workshop	
4.2	Alignment with MAF General Business Dev Mission/Vision/Values Statements	
4.3	Workshop Design and Integration MAF Master-Business Plan	
4.4	Workshop Contents-Leading to sales, leasing and investment in MAF	
4.5	Workshop Marketing Collaterals, Promotion and PR	
4.6	Final Preparations-Logistics	
4.7	Post Workshop Reports and Materials to Attendees and MAF, and Follow Ups	
4.8	Meetings/Workshop Delivery	
4.0	Production Costs - e.g. year-round marketing/strategic alignment with MDC interests, paid travel for key influencers,	
4.9	thought leaders and guest speakers to enhance the event	
4.10	Marketing, Communications and PR Costs-Included	
TOTAL CO	•	\$175,425



Project Leader

Oscar S. Garcia



Oscar S. Garcia is the founding Partner, Chairman and CEO of InterFlight Global Corporation (IFG), an international aerospace, aviation and space expert consulting firm in business since 1992. At the firm, he serves clients as a Senior Consultant, Board Advisor and Project Leader

in the areas of Private-Public Asset, Properties and Investments Economic Development, Strategic Planning, Finance, Marketing and Strategy. He has over twenty years of experience advising and consulting for Senior Management and Governance Boards of startup companies, joint ventures, public entitiesgovernments and large aerospace conglomerates. His expertise includes, but it is not limited to the design, set up, growth and expansion of aerospace, aviation and space related properties, assets and companies.

Oscar serves on the FAA/AST COMSTAC as a full member and Standards Working Group Chairman. He is the Chairman and of the FastForward Group and an UN-ICAO Point of Contact and Space Transportation Leader. In addition, he serves on the Commercial Spaceflight Federation (CSF) Standards, Air & Space Ports and Operations Committees. He has served on the Space Florida Board Advisory Committee, Beacon Council Action Committee Board. He serves on Embry Riddle Aeronautical University's Business School Industrial Advisory Board and Alumni Advisory Council to the President and Board of Trustees.

He is a past (2006-2007) President and current Chairman of the Aerospace Committee for the prestigious Greater Miami Aviation Association (GMAA) Board of Directors. The GMAA is today the dorsal spine of the aviation and aerospace industries socio-economic affairs in Southern Florida.

Registrations:

United Nations International Civil Aviation Organization- ICAO- Office of Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA) USA Member and Point of Contact Suborbital Space Transportation Learning Group

US Department of Transportation-Federal Aviation Administration-Office of Commercial Space- Advisor-Commercial Space Transportation Advisory Committee (COMSTAC) Member and Chair of the Standards Working Group

Commercial Spaceflight Federation-Industry Standards Technical Committee Member

Chairman, FastForward -Global High-Speed Aerospace Transportation Think Tank (2008-Present)

Greater Miami Aviation Association (GMAA), Board Director-Committee Chair (2004-Present)

Space Florida, Business Development Advisory Committee to the Board (2006-2010)

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Industry Advisory Board, College of Business, Alumni Advisory Board to the President and Trustees (2007-Present)

FAA Airline Transport Pilot License, rated on B747-400, B777 200/300 and SF340B aircraft and flight experience in a variety of simulators and general aviation aircraft

MBA, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, 2002

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B.S. in Applied Science, Specialization in Aviation Technology and Aerospace Engineering, Thomas Edison State College/San Diego State University, 1995





International Experience

2014-2019 Transportation Research Board (TRB) and United Nations-International Civil Aviation Organization Space Learning Group-Point of Contact and Space Transportation Leader

- TRB member of commercial space, airspace integration-new users and high-speed flight committees and research groups
- UN-ICAO's Space Learning Group is an UN-OOSA (Office of Outer Space Affairs) entity charged with the development of future suborbital international space transportation industry 2014-Present Commercial Space Flight Federation (CSF)
- Associate Member and Committee Member; Standards, Air & Space Ports and Operations. CSF is the
 world's foremost commercial space trade association and an industry leader in front of public and private
 entities.

2010-2020 FAA-AST COMSTAC Working Groups: Operations, Suborbital Reusable Vehicles, Chairman Safety and Standards Working Group

 Full Committee Member (three terms) and Safety Standards Working Group Chairman in support of the Commercial Space Transportation Advisory Committee to the FAA Administrator; developing the international rulemaking, technical, regulatory, operational and commercial feasibility of suborbital vehicles, infrastructure and commerce chain wide space transportation capabilities.

2010-Present Fast Forward Project-High Speed Flight and Sub/Orbital Transportation Industry Research Group

Project Member in support of strategic areas of research, economic, business, environmental, political, civic and technological development of the commercial suborbital transportation industry worldwide. The group is broadly supported across the aerospace industry, with key members from flight system providers (both entrepreneurial and traditional aerospace hardware companies), future operators, government agencies, commercial aero Air & Space Ports, academic organizations, and specialist consultants.
 Members have backgrounds ranging from traditional aviation to space applications. Reference: Dr. John Olds, President

2006-2015 Flight Research Associates-NASA AMES

 Board Advisory and Consulting Services for the development of Human Factors, Operational simulations (aircraft and ATC), Air Traffic Control (ATC) systems and technologies in support of commercial suborbital space transportation. Reference: James Miller, President

2008-2010 Space Florida-Miami Dade Aviation Department (MDAD)

Feasibility Study for a Commercial Aero Air & Space Port in South Florida. References include Frank
DiBello, President, Space Florida; Bernie McShea, VP Business Development, Space Florida; Jose Abreu,
Director MDAD; Miguel Southwell, Director Business Development, MDAD; Greg Owens, Director Real
Estate and Properties, MDAD









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Income Statement

MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE 4 MONTHS ENDED January 31, 2024

January 31, 2024	Jan. 04	VTD	De la de la America
Devenue	Jan-24	YTD	Budgeted Amount
Revenue	\$1,442,418.97	\$6,133,760.57	\$12,976,644.00
40100 - State Sales Tax	\$1,290,650.15	\$5,557,087.74	\$12,000,000.00
40600 - Public ROW Use Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
43000 - Interest	\$19,375.00	\$100,478.89	\$0.00
43010 - Interest - Nonpooled Invest	\$51,006.82	\$150,645.94	\$0.00
46190 - Miscellaneous Rentals	\$81,387.00	\$325,548.00	\$976,644.00
4235150 - Midland Dvlpmt Corp Revenue	\$1,442,418.97	\$6,133,760.57	\$12,976,644.00
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Expense	\$1,456,990.02	\$1,617,117.36	\$26,583,805.00
51010 - Base Salary	\$25,182.35	\$111,369.94	\$360,047.00
51090 - Fica MDC Portion	\$1,970.52	\$7,105.56	\$29,038.00
51110 - Health Insurance	\$1,880.13	\$9,564.08	\$28,440.00
51135 - ACCE Profit Sharing	\$1,481.97	\$7,008.61	\$25,203.00
52010 - Office Supplies	\$351.47	\$1,317.64	\$6,500.00
52110 - Motor Vehicle Supplies	\$0.00	\$97.55	\$1,500.00
52115 - Minor Furniture & Fixtures	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
52155 - Minor Computer Hrdwre & Periph	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12,000.00
52160 - Computer Software & Supplies	\$0.00	\$24,833.37	\$35,000.00
52620 - Postage	\$136.60	\$315.24	\$1,000.00
53010 - Communication	\$1,094.48	\$5,678.58	\$17,000.00
53030 - Light & Power	\$7.44	\$30.32	\$150.00
53110 - Insurance-External	\$286.00	\$286.00	\$150,000.00
53212 - Equipment Rental-External	\$334.98	\$1,339.92	\$5,000.00
53220 - Advertising	\$61,476.30	\$119,859.92	\$225,000.00
53370 - Grounds Maintenance	\$1,154.70	\$7,200.47	\$25,000.00
53405 - Software Maintenance	\$1,525.54	\$6,102.16	\$15,000.00
53440 - External Audit Fees	\$12,397.80	\$15,722.48	\$40,000.00
53450 - Consulting Fees	\$40,000.00	\$80,000.00	\$500,000.00
53510 - Travel & Entertainment	\$4,583.97	\$7,048.57	\$10,000.00
53520 - Dues & Subscriptions	\$1,299.35	\$7,173.72	\$17,000.00
53530 - Training,Registration Fees,Etc	\$0.00	-\$300.00	\$15,000.00
53905 - Economic Development Incentive	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,098,141.00
53907 - Business Recruitment & Retentn	\$0.00	\$47,233.59	\$70,000.00
53909 - Prior Year Committed Incentives	\$1,241,567.84	\$832,632.13	\$13,464,662.00
53920 - Rent	\$5,817.00	\$23,268.00	\$69,804.00
54010 - Building Maintenance	\$2,242.30	\$19,652.23	\$80,000.00
55120 - Maint Instruments & Appara.	\$119.28	\$592.63	\$1,200.00
56188 - MOTRAN	\$0.00	\$71,250.00	\$142,500.00
56202 - General Fund Services	\$37,080.00	\$148,320.00	\$444,960.00
56410 - Payment of Principal	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$70,605.00
56420 - Interest Expense	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,595.00
56910 - Depreciation Expense	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$416,460.00
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56995 - Project Non Capital - Promotions	\$15,000.00	\$62,414.65	\$1,200,000.00

January 2024 Net Income: (\$14,571.05)

235235 - Midland Development Corp

Year-to-Date Net Income: \$4,516,643.21

\$1,456,990.02

\$1,617,117.36

\$26,583,805.00

Balance Sheet

MIDLAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BALANCE SHEET FOR THE PERIOD ENDED

January 31, 2024

(Used for Internal Purposes Only)

ASSETS

Current Assets Cash and cash equivalents Investments Sales tax receivable Prepaid expenses Accounts receivable		23,899,524 7,758,523 2,903,020 133,644 81,110	34,775,821
Non-Current Assets Capital Assets, net Forgivable Loans Made to Primary Government Made to Other Total Forgivable Loans	2,984,110 6,579	31,009,880	
Total Forgivable Loans		2,990,689	34,000,569
Total Assets		•	\$ 68,776,390
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION			
Liabilities Accounts payable Retainage Payable Capital Leases payable Commitments payable Due within one year Due in more than one year Total Commitments Payable	11,891,195 50,680,647	105,560 130,200 565,054 62,571,842	63,372,656
Net Position Net investment in capital assets Restricted for Forgivable Loans Restricted for Capital Leases Promotions Unrestricted		31,009,880 2,990,689 565,054 2,491,818 (31,653,707)	5,403,734

\$ 68,776,390

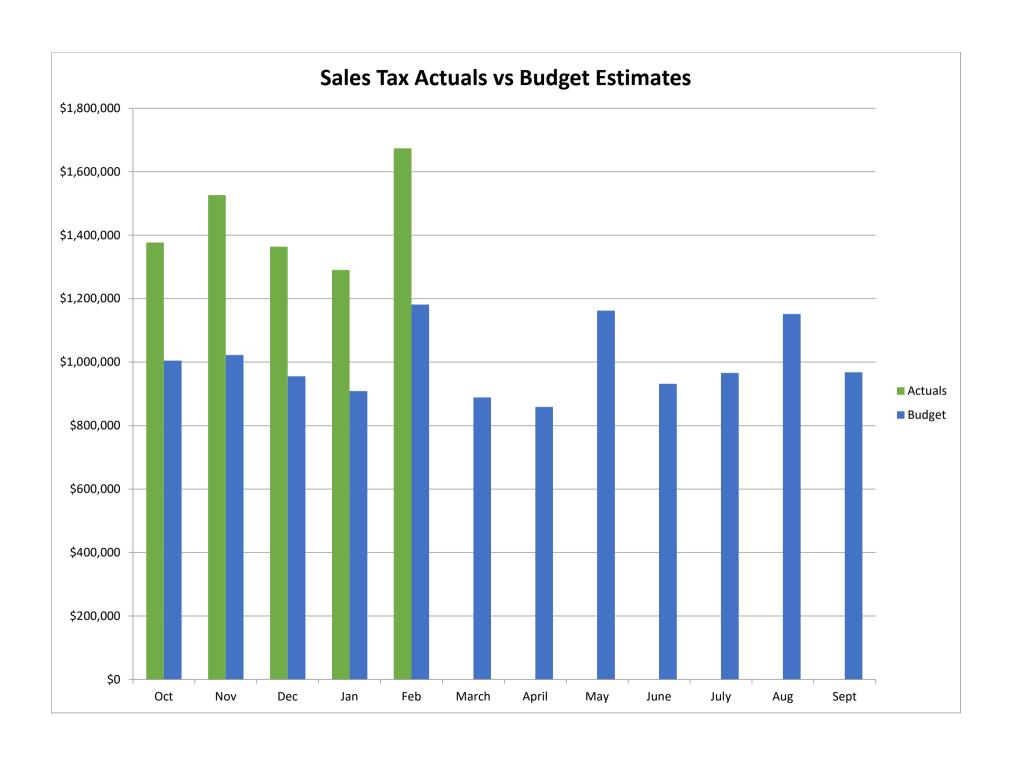
Total Liabilities and Net Position

Sales Tax Revenue



Sales Tax Variance

	2021-2022	2022-2023	% Change	2022-2023	2023-2024	% Change	YTD Change
October	\$971,343.63	\$1,416,510.48	45.83%	\$1,416,510.48	\$1,376,937.05	-2.79%	-2.79%
November	\$1,156,353.89	\$1,364,595.51	18.01%	\$1,364,595.51	\$1,526,083.42	11.83%	4.38%
December	\$1,013,549.80	\$1,380,834.52	36.24%	\$1,380,834.52	\$1,363,408.12	-1.26%	2.51%
January	\$1,117,874.02	\$1,358,336.22	21.51%	\$1,358,336.22	\$1,290,650.15	-4.98%	0.67%
February	\$1,434,528.04	\$1,649,985.00	15.02%	\$1,649,985.00	\$1,673,418.77	1.42%	0.84%
March	\$983,421.74	\$1,344,612.50	36.73%	\$1,344,612.50			
April	\$1,015,116.31	\$1,266,881.01	24.80%	\$1,266,881.01			
May	\$1,487,467.44	\$1,597,917.80	7.43%	\$1,597,917.80			
June	\$1,218,236.38	\$1,325,843.43	8.83%	\$1,325,843.43			
July	\$1,326,275.50	\$1,395,392.32	5.21%	\$1,395,392.32			
August	\$1,582,536.23	\$1,662,691.61	5.06%	\$1,662,691.61			
September	\$1,303,011.95	\$1,328,790.99	1.98%	\$1,328,790.99			
Annual Total	\$14,609,714.93	\$17,092,391.39	16.99%	\$17,092,391.39	\$7,230,497.51		



Activity Report



BUSINESS RETENTION 8 EXPANSION

JANUARY 2024

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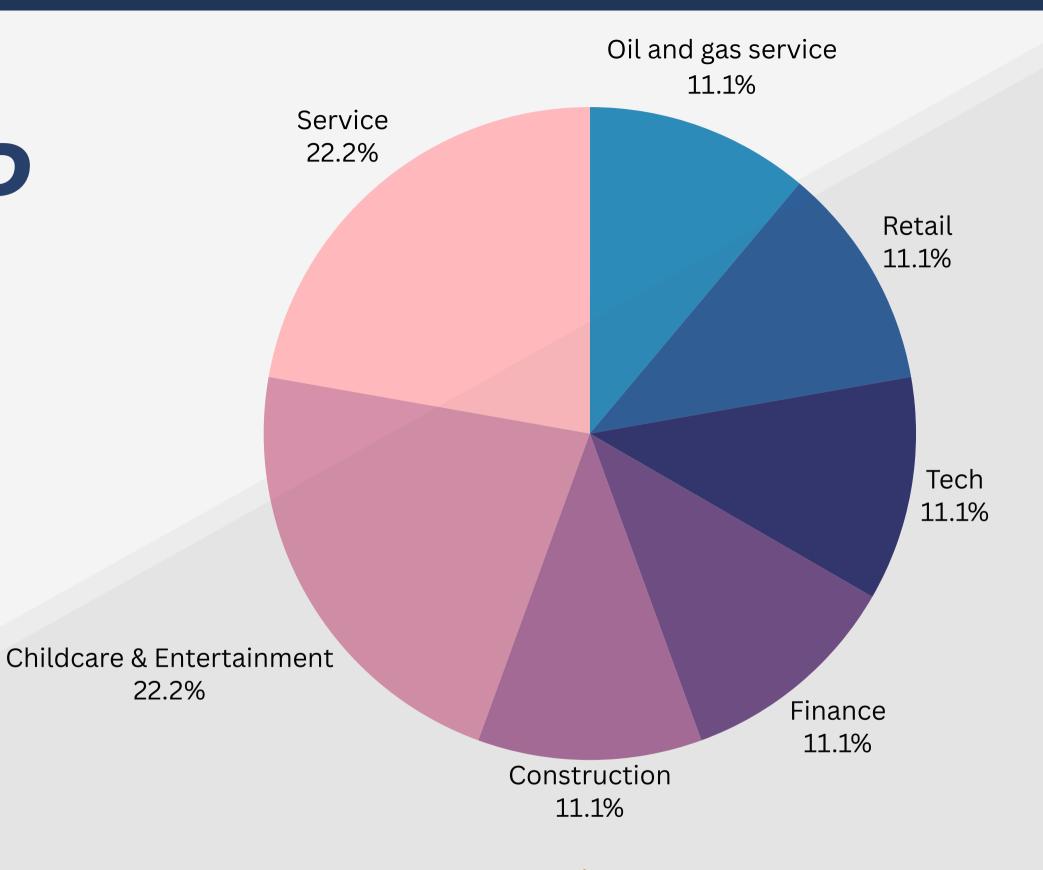
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WHAT KIND OF BUSINESSES DID WE VISIT IN JANUARY?







4 0000 WHAT FACTORS ARE IMPACTING Politics Process

Permitting Process BUSINESSES? Capital



BIG TAKEAWAYS?

GETTING "IN" WITH MIDLAND

In order for businesses to flourish in Midland, they must be intentional with networking and getting "in" with the right people. Some owners described Midland as cliquey. Pointing out that those cliques can make or break your business just from one experience. Other businesses pointed out how it takes time to find a loyal customer base in a transient community. The good news, I heard this month that "Midland's strength is its people." More business owners are starting to perceive Midland as being entrepreneurial and recognizing how opportunities here for business are unlike any other (and we're not just talking oil).

FINDING SUPPLIES

This month, businesses mentioned how some supplies are difficult to find here in Midland. For example, telephone poles. Telephone poles in west Texas are tied up and being used for wind and solar capabilities so one company is having to purchase those materials for a higher price here locally since demand is high or travel to Houston to get the goods they need for their business. Since Midland is remote, companies have to import a lot of goods here and with inflation, goods are becoming more expensive.

QUALITY OF LIFE

While Midland's median age is 32, business owners brought up concerns about retaining the young workforce here and the children they are having. Pointing out how Midland is isolated in contrast to other metros. One business noted how in particular, losing golf courses like Ranchland and Nueva Vista is upsetting to the young men in the community. While the land will be utilized for growth, the business owner pointed out how retaining those young men is more difficult when there's less for them to do. Many businesses mentioned how Midland is on track to grow and invest in itself but wondered how the growth and construction was going to impact housing and traffic.

UPCOMING FOUNDERS BLEND



Wednesday, March 6
Second Story Coworking
8 am - 9 am

Blending Minds & Building Businesses

Business presenters: Air Compressor Solutions & I'd Rather Bake

Food & coffee donors: TBD

Location: Second Story Coworking

For more details on Founders Blend visit:







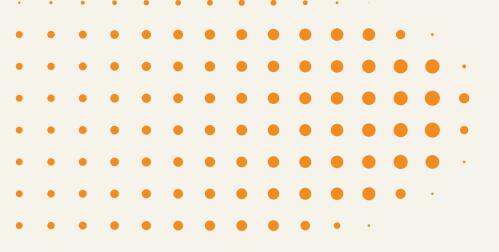
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MARKETING REPORT

January 9, 2024



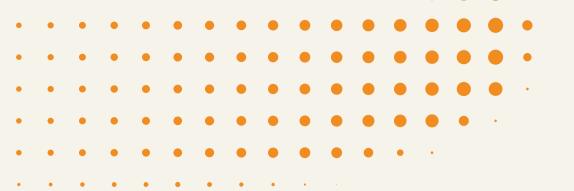
2023 REVIEW

- Founders Blend
- Social Media
- Event Coordination

- ProfessionalDevelopment
- #MadeinMidland
- Website Copywriting& Maintenance

- Basic CourseCompletion
- Tradeshows
- 2023 Annual Report

MDC | Board Meeting



SOCIAL MEDIA

Followers

- Collective II.34K followers on all social media platforms. Reached 546,673 people on all platforms.
- Biggest achievement was on TikTok (1,909) at a +3,081.67% increase from 2022.

Other Takeaways

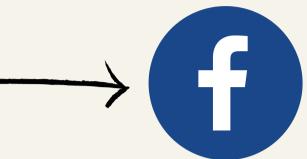
- Posts with most interactions were primarily Reels + TikToks (video content).
- Largest age group of followers falls at 35-44.

FOUNDERS BLEND

- Marketing
- Over 800 followers on social media.
- Website launched in March with almost 2,000 visitors.
- Collaboration with Anzwers Marketing,
 Forty Wolves, and FilmHunters Media.

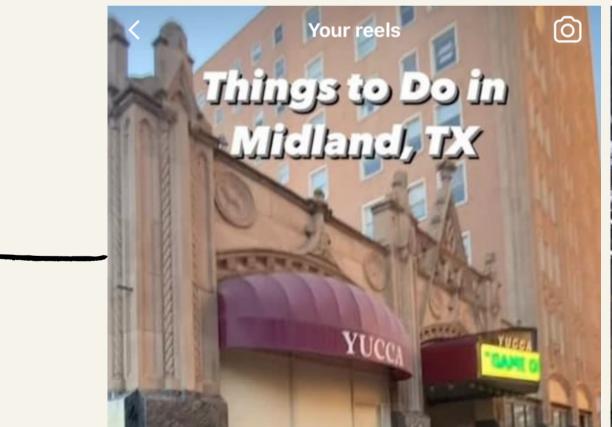
- Monthly Events
 - Averaging between 50-60 attendees for each event.
 - 18 local business presentations, community partners, and donators/sponsors.







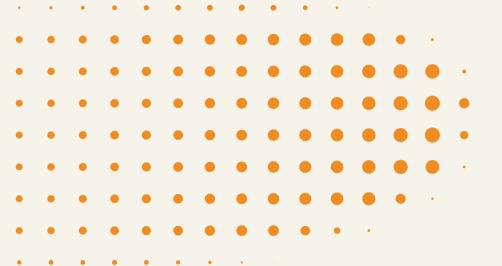












2024 PLAN

- Founders Blend
- Social Media
- Spaceport MarketingPlan

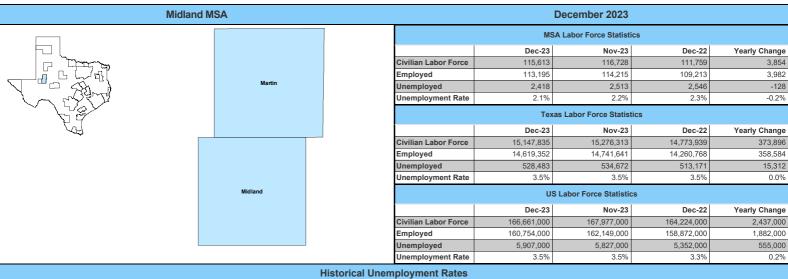
- Leadership Midland
- 2024 Annual Report
- Website Copywriting& Maintenance

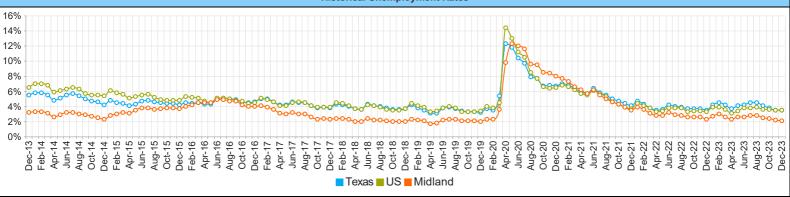
- Local Events
- Part 107 Test
- IEDC Professional
 Development

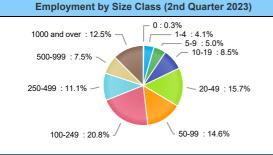
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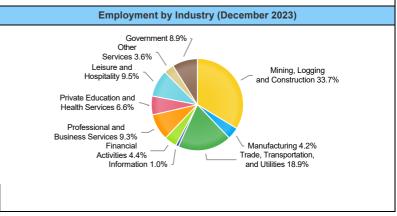




Unclassified \$2.68 Government \$160.78 Leisure 3nd Health Services \$105.50 Professional and Business Services \$253.89 Financial Activities \$12.8.81 Information \$12.66 Trade, Transportation and Utilities \$409.75 Construction \$169.49 Manufacturing \$113.33

Annual Growth Rate Total Non-agricultural employment 20% 15% 10% 5% 0% -5% -10% -15% -20% -25% Pec-13 Feb-14 Jun-14 Jun-14 Jun-14 Apr-15 Jun-15 Jun-15 Jun-15 Jun-15 Aug-15 Oct-17 Jun-17 Aug-17 Apr-18 Jun-19 Apr-19 Jun-19 Apr-19 Apr-20 Jun-21 Aug-21 Oct-21 Dec-21

Employment by Industry (December 2023)							
Industry	Current Month Employment	% Monthly Change	% Yearly Change				
Total Nonfarm	122,600	-0.1%	3.6%				
Mining, Logging and Construction	41,300	-0.7%	4.8%				
Manufacturing	5,100	0.0%	2.0%				
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	23,200	1.3%	3.6%				
Information	1,200	0.0%	0.0%				
Financial Activities	5,400	0.0%	1.9%				
Professional and Business Services	11,400	0.0%	-1.7%				
Private Education and Health Services	8,100	0.0%	3.8%				
Leisure and Hospitality	11,600	-0.9%	0.0%				
Other Services	4,400	0.0%	7.3%				
Government	10,900	0.0%	10.1%				







Dec-22

164,224,000

158.872.000

5.352.000

3.3%

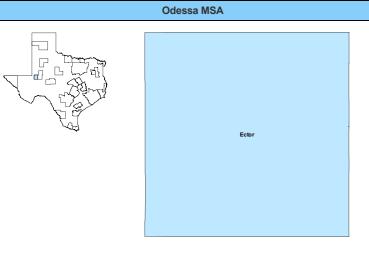
Yearly Change

2,437,000

1.882.000

555,000

0.2%



December 2023									
MSA Labor Force Statistics									
	Dec-23	Nov-23	Dec-22	Yearly Change					
Civilian Labor Force	86,974	87,547	85,044	1,930					
Employed	84,456	84,985	82,445	2,011					
Unemployed	2,518	2,562	2,599	-81					
Unemployment Rate	Unemployment Rate 2.9% 2.9% 3.1% -0.2%								
Texas Labor Force Statistics									
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Civilian Labor Force				Yearly Change 373,896					
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	Dec-23 15,147,835	Nov-23 15,276,313	Dec-22 14,773,939	373,896					
Employed	Dec-23 15,147,835 14,619,352	Nov-23 15,276,313 14,741,641	Dec-22 14,773,939 14,260,768	373,896 358,584					

Nov-23

167,977,000

162.149.000

5.827.000

3.5%

Dec-23

166,661,000

160.754.000

5.907.000

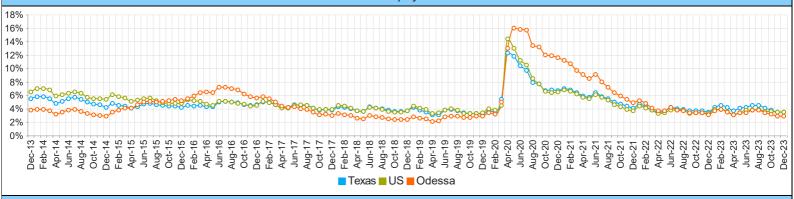
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	Unemployment Rate
Historical Unem	ployment Rates

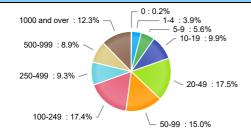
Civilian Labor Force

Employed

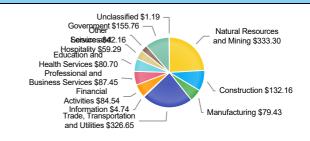
Unemployed



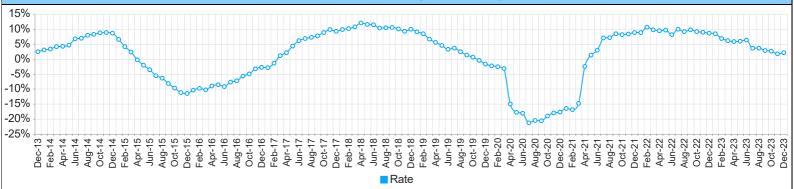
Employment by Size Class (2nd Quarter 2023)



Wages by Industry (in millions) (2nd Quarter 2023)

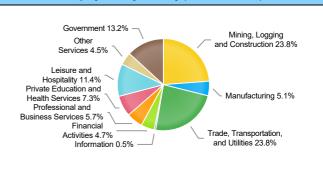


Annual Growth Rate Total Non-agricultural employment



Employment by Industry (December 2023)							
Industry	Current Month Employment	% Monthly Change	% Yearly Change				
Total Nonfarm	82,600	0.4%	2.1%				
Mining, Logging and Construction	19,700	0.0%	3.7%				
Manufacturing	4,200	0.0%	2.4%				
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	19,700	2.1%	1.0%				
Information	400	0.0%	0.0%				
Financial Activities	3,900	0.0%	0.0%				
Professional and Business Services	4,700	-2.1%	0.0%				
Private Education and Health Services	6,000	0.0%	3.4%				
Leisure and Hospitality	9,400	1.1%	3.3%				
Other Services	3,700	0.0%	2.8%				
Government	10,900	-0.9%	0.9%				

Employment by Industry (December 2023)





7,703

6.919

3.0%

2.7%

1.7%

1.6%

9.7%

-2 5%



